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TWELVE O'CLOCK; M.

HARRISBURG.

Proceedings of the Legislature—Appropriation Bill—Senate Rejects the Conference Committee Report—The House Employes' Difficulty—Pittsburgh Water Commission Board Reduced to Nine Members—State Military History—Registry Bill Passed.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, April 14, 1869.

SENATE.

APPROPRIATION BILL.

The Senate this morning refused to concur in the report of the Conference Committee on the appropriation bill, by a decided vote. All the Democrats voted nay, with the following Republicans: Messrs. Billingfelt, Brown, (Mercer) Coleman, Fisher, Graham, White and Worthington.

This kills the bill, unless the vote is reconsidered before final adjournment on Friday, and it is confidently asserted that the Governor will not call an extra session.

THE BANK TAX BILL.

The bill from the House taxing National and State Banks and Savings Institutions one per cent. in lieu of all other taxation, passed second reading. It is said an attempt will be made to-morrow to tack on an amendment taxing coal and petroleum.

MILITIA BILL.

The militia bill from the House was defeated.

REGISTRY BILL.

The report of the Conference Committee on the registry bill was adopted in both Houses.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

RESOLUTION DEFEATED.

In the House this morning Mr. AMES offered a resolution recalling from the Senate the general tax bill, which passed the House at ten o'clock Monday night, with amendments taxing coal and petroleum and relieving railroads on net earnings.

The resolution was opposed by Messrs. Davis, (Phila.,) Herr and Strang, and favored by Messrs. Chamberlain and Brown (Clarion,) and defeated—yeas 41, nays 57.

MILITARY HISTORY.

Mr. M'CULLOUGH introduced a resolution authorizing the State Printer to furnish 10,000 copies of the first volume of the Military History to the House at five dollars per volume.

Amended by Mr. WEBB to three and a half dollars per volume, and passed.

PITTSBURGH WATER COMMISSION.

Both Houses have concurred in the report of the Conference Committee on the bill authorizing the Councils of Pittsburgh to appoint Water Commissioners, agreeing on the Senate amendment reducing the number of the Board to nine citizens.

SENATE BILLS PASSED.

The bill from the Senate, changing the time of holding borough and township elections in Indiana, Cambria and Jefferson counties, passed.

The bill from the Senate authorizing the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer to exchange registered bonds for coupon bonds, passed.

THE CATTLE BILL.

A fruitless effort was made to take up the Cattle bill.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

There is considerable difficulty about the appropriation bill. The Legislature must adjourn Friday noon. The House has accepted the report of the Conference Committee, but the the Senate rejects it, the Democrats and seven Republicans voting against it. Only one day remains to reconsider, and the Governor is usually allowed this one day to consider the bill. The seven Republicans this evening assert they will stick to their determination. Mr. Coleman is opposed to the bill, because it abolishes the publication of public documents. Others oppose it on other grounds, but the real grounds seem to be the twenty-seven additional House officers, who are admitted to pay by the bill, under a certificate from the Speaker. The Governor positively asserts that if the Legislature adjourns without agreeing on appropriations, he will not call an extra session. Many believe that a reconsideration will be had to-morrow, the purpose being merely to make a favorable record on the extra employe portion of the bill. Nearly all the Senators voting against concurrence and other members have already drawn one thousand dollars salary.

NEW YORK CITY.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 14, 1869.

The Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives of the United States, called on Collector Grinnell to-day, as a preliminary step to inquiries to be made in the general working of the revenue system.

A grand jury has been impannelled in the United States Circuit Court, before Judge Benedict, for the investigation of charges against the under officers of the emigrant ship James Foster, Jr.

It appears the *Impe ialist* has not collapsed, as has been stated.

Judge Barnard has appointed A. A. Redfield as Referee, for the purpose of ascertaining to whom belongs the five millions of dollars claimed by Receiver Tweed to be on deposit in the Corn Exchange Bank, nominally to the credit of Mr. Crane, but really to the use of the Credit Mobilier and Union Pacific Railroad.

Frost in Alabama.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 14.—Yesterday morning there was a slight frost and this morning a more severe one, seriously damaging the new cotton crop and fruits, and rendering the replanting of cotton necessary.

NEWS BY CABLE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, April 14.—In the House of Commons this evening the Married Woman's Property bill, introduced by Right Hon. Russell Guerney, was read a second time.

LONDON, April 14.—Among the races at Newmarket, to-day, were those for the Column Stakes, and Newmarket handicap. The former was won by the filly Martinign, and the latter by Mr. Savile's filly, Skirmisher.

FRANCE.

PARIS, April 14.—The *Presse* newspaper says the rejection of the Alabama Claims treaty by the United States Senate will be the cause of great prejudice to the United States in Europe.

SPAIN.

MADRID, April 14.—It is reported Gen. Prim will go to Cuba as Captain General, accompanied by large reinforcements of troops for the suppression of the insurrection.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, April 14.—*Evening*—Consols for money, 93⅜; for account, 93½. Five-Twenties at 84. Stocks steady; Erie, 24; Illinois, 96¾; Atlantic and Great Western, 30¼. Linseed cakes £9 15s@10. Tallow 46s. Sugar 39s. 3d. Linseed Oil £27 15s@30.

ANTWERP, April 14.—Petroleum 53@53½ francs.

HAVRE, April 14.—Cotton 147½ francs.

PARIS, April 14.—Bourse strong. Rentes 7 francs, 5 centimes.

LIVERPOOL, April 12.—Cotton is firmer and higher; middling uplands, 12¼; Orleans, 12½. California white wheat, 9s. 3d.; red western, 8s. 8d. Western Flour 22s. Corn 28s. 9d. for new. Oats 3s. 5d. Barley 5s. Peas 39s. Pork 105s. Beef 90s. Lard 71s. 6d. Cheese 77. Bacon 62s. 6d. Common Rosin 5s. 3d. Spirits Petroleum 9d. refined 1s. 9d.

FRANKFORT, April 14.—*Evening.*—Bonds firmer. Five-twenties closed at 87⅜@87½.

HAVRE, April 14.—*Evening.*—The cotton market closed active on both spot and to arrive, but without change in quotations.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—In Georgia, recently, the weather has been very cold. It is reported that the heavy frosts in the interior have materially injured the cotton crop, and will necessitate replanting.

—The Massachusetts Legislative Committee on Woman Suffrage was addressed yesterday in its favor by Rev. James Freeman Clarke and Hon. George F. Hoar, of Worcester.

—The bill to aid in the construction of railroads in New York, giving four thousand dollars per mile, was ordered to a third reading in the New York Assembly, last night, by a vote of fifty-five to twenty-two.

—The South Carolina Legislature, at its last session, passed an act appropriating two hundred thousand dollars for the purchase of waste lands. They are to be sold to actual settlers, on five years' credit. C. P. Leslie has been appointed Land Commissioner, under the act, and will at once open a Land office.

—The Executive Committee of the Board of Trade of Cincinnati have consulted Hon. George H. Pendleton and another eminent lawyer, A. A. Ferguson, as to the power of the city to aid in the construction of a railroad to Chattanooga without amendment to the State Constitution. The question was referred to six able lawyers for decision. Three of them have already expressed opinions that the city can give such aid.

—Police Superintendent Kennedy, of Chicago, being notified by a telegram to arrest a man who had stolen a horse and buggy from Battle Creek, Michigan, Tuesday afternoon captured one John Martin, at the Girard House, in Chicago, on suspicion. Being closely questioned, he confessed the crime, and the horse was found in the stable of the hotel. As an inducement to be let off, the thief showed the officer a Masonic badge and certificate, but the dodge did not work.

—The Illinois Legislature, in adjourned session met at Springfield on Wednesday. The Governor has vetoed one hundred and fifty bills out of the number placed in his hands at the adjournment, the most important of which is the Lake Front bill, ceding a certain portion of the lake front to the Illinois Central Railroad, and the bill allowing towns and cities to reserve State taxes for the benefit of existing or prospective railroads. The first named bill is likely to pass over the Govenor's veto, but the fate of the latter is considered doubtful. The session is likely to continue about ten days.

—Dispatches from New Orleans announce that the Chamber of Commerce of that city will hold a meeting to consider subscriptions to the St. Louis Grain Association and asking for information relative to the objects and proposed workings of the Association; also stating that New Orleans will do her part. Geo. P. Plant, President of the St. Louis Merchants Exchange, has replied, advising New Orleans to organize a similar independent, but cooperative Association, to keep a stock of grain there to draw purchasers, and if necessary to buy and ship cargoes to foreign ports. The stockholders of the St. Louis Association will hold a meeting for the purpose of electing directors and perfecting their organization.

—The New York *Tribune* has a letter from General W. T. Sherman, relative to his action at the surrender of Gen. Johnston. He says that at an interview between President Lincoln, Gen. Grant, Admiral Porter and himself, in regard to the position of affairs and the then soon probable defeat of the rebel army under Lee, President Lincoln expressed the hope that no more blood be shed, all that he wished being the dispersion of the armies and the resumption of civil rule. General Sherman says he drew up the terms of Johnston's surrender himself. Breckinridge had nothing to do with them, and he proceeded to effect his escape from the country, a course which Gen. Sherman believes President Lincoln wished Davis and all the leading Southern political leaders to have been successful in doing. General Sherman says he makes the statement in order that there shall be no construction of the terms whereby the course pursued by him should be thrown upon President Lincoln.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Senate Session—Unreconstructed States—Nominations Confirmed—Seizure of Cubans on an American Vessel—Clerks to be Dismissed—Bond Larceny—July Interest on Coupons.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1869.

SENATE SESSION.

After prayer and reading of the journal of yesterday, the Senate immediately went into Executive session.

After the Executive session, without doing other business, the Senate adjourned.

Many Senators are of the opinion that the extra session will close this week. The Senate to-day briefly considered the naturalization treaty with Great Britain and the Darien Canal treaty, but arrived at no conclusion on them.

RECONSTRUCTION.

It is not probable that the President will take any action in regard to Virginia, Mississippi and Texas, till the business of acting on nominations by the Senate shall be completed, and it is not certain whether he will issue a proclamation in regard to voting on the Constitutions in those States, or address the Military Commanders through the War Department.

ALABAMA CLAIMS TREATY.

In the discussion in the Senate yesterday, after Mr. Sumner's speech, some remarks are reported to have been made. Mr. Chandler said the American continent was too small to hold the two sovereignities. Mr. Warner is reported to have equalled if not surpassed Mr. Chandler in his sanguinary declarations. If he were President he would in his instructions to Mr. Motley say not to take any further trouble in reference to the settlement of the question; would let it go by. If England wished to open negotiations, let her do so. If not, America can afford to wait the day of reckoning; and altogether he was in favor of holding a whip over her.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President sent to the Senate to-day the following nominations:

Charles C. Crowe, of Alabama, Governor of New Mexico.

United States Marshals: Geo. E. Wentworth, Northern District of Florida, Geo. J. Lamon, Arkansas; Augustus Armstrong, for Minnesota; Saml. F. Carroll, for North Carolina.

Charles A. Dana, Appraiser of Merchadise for the Port of New York.

Assesors of Internal Revenue: James Ashworth, Fifth District, Pennsylvania.

Postmasters: S. Stough, Bellefontaine Ohio; H. P. Davis, Mansfield, Ohio; Mrs. Sarah L. Reizer, Doylestown, Pa.; Caroline A. Arndt, Easton, Pa.; B. Blair, Huntingdon, Pa.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate to-day confirmed the following nominations.

W. W. Evans, Surveyor of Customs, Parkersburg, Virginia; Edward Townsend, Adjutant General of Army, with rank of Brigadier General; Lieutenant Colonel Richard C. Drum, Assistant Adjutant General, with rank of Colonel; Major Robert Williams, Assistant Adjutant General, with rank of Lieutenant Colonel; Captain James P. Martin, Assistant Adjutant General, with rank of Major.

SEIZURE OF CUBANS ON AN AMERICAN VESSEL.

Lieutenant Commander Fellebrown, of the United States steamer Narragansett, reports under date of 7th inst., from Havana, the particulars of two passengers, Cubans, having been taken out of the American schooner Lizzie Major, ten leagues from the coast of Cuba by the Spanish frigate Ferdinando Cattolico and imprisoned. The two persons were named D. Santiago A. Annible and Don Ramon S. Rivas. It seems they took passage on the Lizzie Major, at Havana, for New Orleans. The schoner touched at Remedios, took in a cargo and sailed on the 26th of March for her destination. She was boarded the same day by the Spanish frigate, as above. The prisoners were carried back to Remedios and incarcerated. One is a lad about ten years of age. They were visited in prison by Mr. Stone, United States Consular Agent at that port, who made a demand upon the commandant of the province for their release. This he did not feel authorized to do without orders from superior authority. The case having been made known to Mr. Hall, United States Vice Consul General in Cuba, he has ordered a thorough investigation to be made. The ground of the arrest is said to be that the names of the passengers were not on the manifest of the schooner.

THE M'ARDLE CASE.

The decision of the Supreme Court dismissing the M'Ardle case for want of jurisdiction, is founded on the act passed at the last session of the Fortieth Congress, repealing the act authorizing appeals from the judgment of the Circuit Court to the Supreme Court. The Court decided, while appellate jurisdiction is derived from the Constitution and not from acts of Congress, it is conferred with such exceptions and under such regulations as Congress may make. It is hardly possible to imagine a plainer instance of positive exception.

UNRECONSTRUCTED STATES.

The President has directed the Secretary of War to order Major General Reynolds to proceed with registration in Texas, preparatory to an early election. It is expected similar orders will be issued to the Commanding officers in Virginia and Mississippi. The President will avail himself of the opinions of the Commanding Generals, before issuing the proclamation authorized by the act of Congress, with reference to voting on the Constitutions of these States.

CLERKS TO BE DISMISSED.

There is now being prepared in the Third Auditor's office of the Treasury Department a list of one hundred and thirty-two clerks, whose services will be dispensed with. This list includes all the Democratic members of the Johnson Departmental Club and Conservative Army and Navy Union. The notices of dismissal will be sent out in a day or two. A large number of female clerks will be discharged from the Treasury Department to-morrow.

BOND LARCENY CASE.

In the Criminal Court to-day the jury returned a verdict of guilty against Leonard Huych, charged with the larceny of $13,000 of Government bonds, a special deposit by Colonel D. R. McNair with Murray & Co. It will be recollected Huych was President of the Merchants National Bank which exploded two or three years ago.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

J. C. Bancroft Davis, Assistant Secretary of State, is quite ill at his rooms in this city. Mr. Davis is suffering from a severe attack of erysipelas, and has been confined to his room and bed for several days. He is entirely unable to attend to his public or private business.

JULY INTEREST TO BE PREPAID.

The following was issued to-day:

Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., April 14, 1869.—Notice is hereby given that the interest coupons payable on the 1st day of July next will be paid on presentation at the proper offices upon a rebate of interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

DUTY ON IRON.

The Treasury Department adheres to its classification of certain iron from Gothenburg, of an octagonal shape, under the act of 1864, not otherwise provided for, and decides that it is dutiable at one cent and a quarter per pound.

MONITOR FITTING OUT.

The Monitor Saquis is fitting out at the Washington Navy Yard, and in about twelve days will be towed to the Cuban coast.

CUBA.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, April 14.—Napoleon Arrango and other insurgent chieftains are heading a party in the central department in opposition to General Queseda, who, however, has the largest number of adherents. A cousin of General Cespedes has been killed near Mansanillo.

Advices from St. Thomas report the arrival there of one of the Peruvian monitors.

Sugar advancing; sales at 8¾@9⅛ Reals for No. 12.

Volunteers are organizing in the interior.

The *Vose de Cuba* warns the public against over confidence in the termination of the insurrection.

The *Diario* says Spanish war steamers are watching for two expeditions which are expected from the United States.

Casanova has not yet been released.

A decree authorizes the raising of one thousand additional men to protect the plantations of the western planters, who are to pay them.

The very latest advices from Puerto Principe report a dearth of food. A convoy had arrived from Santa Cruz, under a guard of nine hundred troops. They encountered two thousand insurgents in an entrenched position on the road, and after a desperate fight dislodged them. The troops admit a loss of six killed and wounded. The insurgents in the vicinity are numerous. They have beef and vegetables in plenty, but are without bread and powder.

Santiago advices to the 9th report a fight on the Isabel Estate. Loss insignificant. One thousand two hundred troops had arrived from Batobans.

Advices from Sancta Spiritus, of the 9th, state that Gen. Puello was there and acting as Governor. He has ordered country stores moved to the nearest town.

Saugua dates to the 10th give information that the Government troops had a fight with Liebera, and that the losses were heavy on both sides.

A dispatch from Trinidad, dated the 10th, says thirty respectable citizens have been arrested and imprisoned.

Ex-President Johnson in Memphis.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, April 14.—Ex-President Johnson, accompanied by a committee, arrived here at four o'clock this afternoon, by special train on the Memphis and Louisville railroad. He was met at the depot by a vast concourse of people and escorted in procession by the Fire, Police and Municipal departments, and an immense number of people in carriages, and on horseback, and a velocipede. After passing throngh the principal streets, the procession halted at the Overton Hotel, from the balcony of which he was welcomed by Dr. Leftwich, and introduced to the audience. He spoke ten minutes, simply returning thanks for the honor shown him on his return to his old home after escaping from the slavery of office. He was suffering from fatigue and spoke in a low tone. He speaks at the Opera House tomorrow afternoon, and on Friday night will be present at a banquet tendered him at the Overton Hotel. Along the route from Nashville here he was met by crowds at every station. At Humboldt, Brownsville and Mason's he appeared in answer to calls and responded briefly. Business was almost suspended this afternoon.

Case of Capt. W. B. Donaldson.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—Judge Prim, of the Criminal Court, to-day delivered an opinion in the case of Capt. Wm. B. Donaldson, whose counsel had moved a discharge, on the ground that three terms of the Court had passed since his indictment, and that under the law further action could not proceed against him. The Judge decided against the motion and remanded Donaldson to jail. He will doubtless be brought to trial, one of the principal witnesses against him being now here.

A Forger Arrested.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 14.—W. C. Bently, who presented a forged draft for $1,750 on the First National Bank of this city, on saturday, was arrested near Darlington Court House, South Carolina, Tuesday night and brought back to this city. All the money was recovered but five dollars.

Fifteenth Amendment Ratified by New York.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALBANY, N. Y., April 14.—The Senate passed resolutions ratifying the Fifteenth Amendment by a vote of seventeen to fifteen.

Pacific Railroad Land Sales.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ATCHISON, April 14.—The Land Commissioner of the Central Branch of the Pacific Railroad reports the sales of land during March of over $100,000, and the sales this month nearly double those of the same time in March. The Central Branch Road are doing a large business.

The contractors of the Atchison and Nebraska Railroad want five hundred laborers at two dollars per day. Work will commence on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Road in May next.

Illinois Legislature—Adjourned Session.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 14.—In the State Legislature to-day a message was received from the Governor vetoing a large number of minor bills, also the Lake front and tax exemption bills, with his objections. A resolution was adopted that no business but that relative to Executive communications and supplemental bills be considered at the present session.

Life Insurance Case.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 14.—The Wisconsin Supreme Court, in the case of Mrs. Schneider vs. the Provident Life Insurance Company, of Chicago, has set aside the ruling of the Court below, which was that the deceased husband lost his life by carelessness in attempting to get aboard a train when in motion. The case has been remanded for a new trial.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW ORLEANS, April 14.—Cotton active. Middling, 28¼@28½. Sales, 6,350 bales; receipts, 1,243; exports, 3,685. Gold, $1,32⅝. Sterling, $1,42¾. New York on sight, ¼ premium. Sugar dull. Common 8@10¾; prime 13¼. Molasses, light supply, prime 63. Flour firm, superfine $5,87; double extra $6,50; treble extra $6,75. Corn firm; white 78. Oats scarce at 74@75. Bran scarce at $1,36. Hay firm, prime $26. Pork $31,63. Bacon retailing at, shoulders 14; clear sides 17¼, and clear ribs 17½. Lard dull and unchanged. Whisky quiet; Western rectified 87@89¼. Coffee firm; for Georgia, 15½; prime 17¼@17¾.

BUFFALO, April 14.—Flour inactive; sales 200 bbls; city ground spring $6,00@6,50. Wheat; no demand; prices are entirely nominal. Corn very dull; a few car lots were sold at 75@82c, to arrive. Oats nominal, at 67c in store. Rye nominal, at $1,30 in store. Barley dull; sales of 450 bush Canada at $1,90, on track. Peas nominal, at $1,23 on track. Seeds firm: sales of 100 bags of choice timothy at $4,00, and 100 bags of prime do. at $3,75, closing firm at the outside figures; clover $9,00; flax $2,50. Pork dull at $31@31,50. Lard dull at 18¾@19c. Highwines nominal at 92@93c.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—Flour dull at $4,55@5; Oregon extra $5,12½. Wheat very dull at $1,40@1,60. It is estimated that the wheat crop of Oregon the present year will be one-third in excess of last. Legal tenders 77½.

NEW YORK, April 14.—*Cattle Market*—Beef Cattle active and advancing; prices at 14@17. Hogs 11@11½. Receipts 340 cattle and 2,190 hogs.

NASHVILLE, April 14.—Cotton active; middling 25½c; good to ordinary 24½c.

From the Independent, Wilmington, Will Co. Ill.

Col. John Redman.

Among the most curious and interesting individuals it has been our fortune ever to meet is the gentleman whose name heads this article—Col. John Redman. A few friends were selected to attend one of his lectures at Sponsler's, in Springfield, recently. Of all the lectures it was the cap sheaf, "Wasn't it, Eli?" For two hours he kept all who heard him in a constant roar of laughter. His entertainment consisted of side-splitting stories, songs, anecdotes and button-bursting witticisms.

Col. Redman is a Virginia, who many years ago removed to Ohio, bringing his stock and his dogs and his guns. There he lived and hunted for several years and finally moved to Illinois.

He is now a resident of Buckhart, Christian county, this State, where he lives on his fine farm and takes life comfortably. He stands about six feet and his muscle is wonderful. He can carry a horse of ordniary size ten or fifteen rods with ease, or throw a mule or cow over a five rail fence with ease. But his character. He is the greatest genius in the country for originality and real live fun. It is said that Dan Rice offered him two thousand dollars a month to travel with him. His powers in the way of mimicry, in singing or in imitating birds, animals or the human voice, are remarkable. The Colonel "runs to fun" as naturally as water runs down hill, and it is as impossible for the most serious man in existence to listen to him for a single second and not almost go into convulsions with laughter, as it is to bore an inch hole with a two-inch auger, "Ain't it Alis." The Colonel makes no pretensions to originality or smartness, and don't seem to know that he possesses any peculiar trait in the way of amusing others, but knows that whenever he speaks everybody laughs, and that he likes to see them laugh. We hope to see him again and become better acquainted with him.

THE Mount Pleasant (Iowa) *Press*, of a recent date, says: "Out of fifty women eating supper at a festival, it is a fact that thirty of them sit on one of their feet. Why do they?" The Oskaloosa *Citizen* undertakes to give an answer in the following atrocious manner: "They don't out this way. You can find no woman in the bailiwick with a foot big enough for any thirty other women to sit on. Not much. Good Heavens! what underpinning the Mount Pleasant dames must have if the above reflection of our bachelor contemporary was suggested by actual observation. And yet, in case of a grasshopper raid, two or three such feet around on a farm couldn't be sneezed at."

THE soul of the Department of Foreign Affairs at Constantinople is a Catholic priest, Father Benevent, an Italian, who writes nearly all the foreign dispatches of the Turkish Government. He possesses a wonderful familiarity with the leading statesmen, the sovereigns, and the political affairs of the various countries of Europe, and no measure of importance is resolved upon by the Turkish Government without his opinion having been ascertained. It is said that he receives a larger salary than the Turkish Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Washington Items.

Mr. I. Lothrop Motley, the new Minister to England, will not displace the able Secretary of Legation, Mr. Benjamin Moran. Mr. Moran was born in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, and has preserved his attachment to his native country through all his long years of absence.

Hon. John Scott, the new Senator from Pennsylvania, declares himself earnestly in favor of the confirmation of Gov. Curtin for the Russian mission.

There will be no trouble about the confirmation of Governor Curtin as Minister to Russia, as Senator Scott to-day asked the Committee on Foreign Relations to confirm him. Senator Cameron is not here. Hon. T. J. Coffey is to go out as his Secretary.

The following persons were appointed Postmasters in Pennsylvania to-day:

Pennsville, Fayette county — Lewis Miller, *vice* Rice Boyd, resigned.

Eagle Rock, Venango county—John M'Crea, *vice* J. S. Flanagan, resigned.

Noblestown, Allegheny county—G. W. Hoffman, *vice* H. G. M'Farland, resigned.

Mt. Pleasant, Westmoreland county—G. M. Berger, *vice* J. D. M'Caleb, resigned.

The Sleepiest Man in the World.

He is a Montanian, and a typo. We have known him frequently to drop into a sound snooze while standing at his case "distributing," and with half a "take" of matter in hand. As a compositor, he usually takes a nap at the end of each sentence, (as often in the broad day as any other time,) to be aroused therefrom only by a sneeze from one of the boys, or from some other unusual sound. If not particularly hungry, or engaged in exciting conversation with the fellow opposite, he invariably sleeps between courses, while at his meals. The other day, at noon, he started down the stairs of the office to go to his "hash," and after reaching the doorway leading to the street, he suddenly yielded to Morpheus, leaned up against the broad door jam, and enjoyed a profound nap, until some sound or jar awaked him, and, having dreamed that he had actually been to dinner and tarried longer than usual, drew forth his toothpick, and hurried up stairs again, where he nervously rubbed his hands, hastily finished picking his teeth, jerked off his coat and went to work. All these things we have seen ourself; but his room-mates and intimate brother members of the craft tell us that on divers occasions, after retiring to his room to go to bed, he would get off his hat, perhaps one boot, and while contemplating the exertion necessary to finish the job of undressing would actually set to dozing, and be found next morning still sitting in his chair, with his legs crossed, arms folded, his head inclined to one side and snoring like a porpoise.—*Helena (Montana) Herald.*

HEART DISEASE.—A surgeon of the British army, who has been investigating the causes of the great prevalence of heart disease among English soldiers, states that it is due to the mechanical obstructions to the proper flow of blood through the arteries leading from the heart, caused by the restrictions of the clothing and accoutrements. Alterations in the dress of the English soldiers are therefore advised, the upright collar hooked tight around the neck being especially objectionable. Aneurism of the aorta, it is asserted, is produced by this this style of equipment. The tunic, with a turn-down collar, worn by the Austrians, does not cause the compression of the throat, and is therefore recommended, as a more suitable dress.

MR. FROUDE, in his address at St. Andrews the other day, commented severely on the carelessness which England had shown in the work of colonization, and, referring to the emigration of the Irish peasant to America, he said: "We bade him carelessly go where he would, and shift as he could for himself. He went with a sense of burning wrong, and he left a root of bitterness behind him. Injustice and heedlessness have borne their proper fruits. We have raised up against us a mighty empire to be the rival, it may be the successful rival, of our power." The students here (says the *Scotsman*) broke out into the chorus of "Rule Britania," which they continued for some time, to the great amusement of all present.

THE Denver *News* gives statistics of the products of Colorado for the year 1868. The shipments, not including reshipments, nor those by private hands, were of gold, $1,909,461; silver, $187,744; total, $2,107,235. The number of acres in cultivation was in wheat, 7,410; corn, 10,834; oats, barley, &c., 3,709; potatoes, 1,966; total, 23,919 acres. The yield averaged 28 bushels of wheat, 25 bushels of corn, 35 bushels of barley and oats, and 100 bushels of potatoes to the acre. Several districts are not included in these returns. The value of the agricultural products was $2,683,840—exceeding that of the shipments of bullion by half a million of dollars.

THE DOCTRINE of woman's equality is not so new as many people suppose. A writer in the *Watchman and Reflector* says that, soon after the American revolution, the sister of Richard Henry Lee, of Virginia, then a widow, possessed of large landed interests in Richmond, wrote a letter, still preserved, in which, with the skill of an advocate, she asked what became of the doctrine on which the colonies had contended for independence, "No taxation without representation," if women paying large taxes had no representation, while a beardless boy, because he was a male and twenty-one, had a controlling vote in governmental affairs.

THE FRENCH elections for members of the Corps Legislatif, about to take place in 1869, are exciting great interest, and a large number of candidates have come forward. It is computed that to fill the two hundred and seventy seats over eight hundred and forty persons intend to present themselves. Paris has nine deputies, and forty-three persons are mentioned to represent the capital. The present members all belong to the opposition, but some of them will not be reelected, as they have been at various times influenced to vote for imperial measures.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

BETROTHED ANEW.

BY E. C. STEDMAN.

The sunlight fills the trembling air,
And balmy days their guerdons bring;
The earth again is young and fair
And amorous with musky spring.

The golden nurslings of the May
In splendor strew the spangled green,
And hues of tender beauty play
Entangled where the willows lean.

Mark how the rippled currents flow;
What lustres on the meadows lie!
And hark, the songsters come and go
And trill between the earth and sky.

Who told us that the years had fled
Or borne afar our blissful youth?
Such joys are all about us spread,
We know the whisper was not truth.

The birds, that break from grass and grove,
Sing every carol that they sung
When first our veins were rich with love,
And May her mantle round us flung.

O fresh-lit dawn! Immortal life!
O earth's betrothal, sweet and true,
With whose delights our souls are rife
And aye their vernal vows renew!

Then, darling, walk with me this morn:
Let your brown tresses drink its sheen;
These violets, within them worn,
Of floral fays shall make you queen.

What though there comes a time of pain
When autumn winds forbade decay;
The days of love are borne again,
That fabled time is far away!

And never seemed the land so fair
As now, nor birds such notes to sing,
Since first within your shining hair
I wove the blossoms of the spring.

EPHEMERIS.

—Sir E. Cunard left $2,000,000.

—Gen. Halleck talks now of resigning.

—President Juarez is sixty-four years old.

—Jerusalem is to have a weekly newspaper.

—Potato bugs are eating the Murphies in Texas.

—"Poor Carlotta" will summer in the Pyrenees.

—Jeff. Davis is coming back to America in May.

—New York has a new dance called the Boston.

—Mrs. S. N. Pike has $150,000 worth of diamonds.

—South America is enjoying the White Fawn.

—Sprague's workingmen are to serenade the Senator.

Shakespear's *Tempest* is a great success in New York.

—The Boston *Post* calls a pillow a soothing nap-sack.

—A rolling mill is to be put up in Washington, D. C.

—Pierre Soulé is at Lexington, Ky., in the lunatic asylum there.

—Charleston, S. C., has a company for canning oysters, shrimp, etc.

—Joe Jefferson is receiving $2,500 per week for acting at Booth's theatre.

—Nineteen Chicago constables were arrested by Chicago police last year.

—A French translation of Jane Eyre has been published at Constantinople.

—Roebuck's friends in Sheffield have given him £3,000 in trust for his daughter.

—Spain wants to buy American monitors for quelling the Cuban insurrection.

—Uncle Tom's Cabin, a very old habitation, has reappeared in the Boston theatres.

—A German religious paper, the *Kirchenzeitung*, thinks Ward Beecher is an infidel.

—Twitchell, romantic creature, wanted a weeping willow tree planted over his grave.

—Hartz the illusionist, is in San Francisco, doing his own and the Davenport's tricks.

—Baron Brisse, the famous gourmand, is dangerously ill from dyspepsia and indigestion.

—George Washington insulted a lady in Columbus, Ohio, the other day and was fined $10.

—European advices to the 1st inst., inform us that Menotti Garabaldi and his wife had a spat.

—Miss Alide Topp, the pianist, is to marry a Captain in the Prussian Life Guards in June.

—*La Cloche* spoke of Eugenie as "our venerable Empress" and was in consequence confiscated.

—Valuable and extensive deposits of coal have been discovered in the White Pine silver regions.

—Singing birds in Austria are protected by law, and are legally unkillable at all times of the year.

—The operations in Hellgate have been temporarily suspended on account of an unusually strong current.

—Miss Thackeray is travelling in Germany, where, as Thackeray's daughter, she is enthusiastically received.

—A gold nugget weighing 200 pounds has been taken out at Victoria, Australia, and has been shipped to England.

—A medallion portrait of Lincoln will adorn one face of the pedestal of the monument to Berryer at Marseilles.

—One of the spiritual wives mentioned by Hepworth Dixon in his book, is en route to England to sue him for libel.

—St. Louis has a duplicate of the Dean-Boker scandal—a young heiress has eloped with her papa's coachman.

—The Sublime Porte, not to be outdone by Russia, is bidding very high for a visit from Patti to Constantinople.

—Anxious traveller to ticket agent: "Will the 12:50 train arrive on time?" Ticket agent: "It will be ten to one if it does."

—One manufacturer in New York turns out eight thousand quarts of ice cream per day, and uses the cream of 3,200 cows.

—The Provisional Government of Spain has recently sent Queen Isabella £60,000 worth of her private pictures, jewels and underclothes.

—Oxford and Cambridge recently had their grand boat race, in which the students from the Cam. were beaten, thus inspiring *Judy* to say: "Motto for the Vanquished Crew.—"Veni, vidi, vici." Cam, sore, and conquered."

—A velocipedist in New York is learning to ride his machine on the tight rope in order to be able, when summer comes, to cross Niagara in that way.

—A new hotel at Cape May, now in process of erection, will be 800 feet long four stories high and have porches 1,400 feet in length. It will cost $350,000.

—The Duke of Cambridge is going through the pleasant operation of a public exposure in the newspapers for abuse of public patronage and other offences.

—When Tompkin has been shaved, why does he resemble a musical instrument?—Because he's a Friend Shorn (French Horn. Tra, la! la! la!)—*Judy*.

—This really atrocious attempt at a polyglot joke, we find in the Philadelphia *Bulletin*:

"Victor Hugo is 'the man who rit' the story in *Appleton's Journal*."

—Captain Totten has been taking observations at Panama and Aspinwall, and has decided that the mean height of the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans is the same.

—Commodore Vanderbilt narrowly escaped with his life the other day; he drank a dose of bedbug poison, by mistake, and he was only saved by not being a bedbug.

—A man in New York, despairing, probably, of discovering any new weapon for suicide, resorted to an aboriginal one and stabbed himself with a stone arrow-head.

—Mobile has a double-headed woman who can talk with both mouths. It is thought that by practice, with these natural advantages, she might become the champion scolder.

—Ambergris is found in dyspeptic whales. A New Bedford captain recently captured a whale who had 285 pounds of this dyspepsia in him, worth ninety-seven dollars per pound.

—The Donner Lake, on the line of the Central Pacific Railroad, has been sounded to the depth of 1,600 feet without finding bottom. Some of the navies believe it to be the bottomless pit.

—Queen Victoria will, this year, visit Switzerland again, and make also a trip to Sicily and Greece. She will, however, keep away from Florence and Rome, and go by steamer from Genoa to Palermo.

—The Hereditary Prince of Saxe Meiningen, a youth of eighteen years, has written a tragedy entitled "Henry V," which the critics have spoken so highly of that it is shortly to be produced at the Royal Theatre in Berlin.

—A woman in New York broke a kerosene lamp over her husband's head, after unsuccessful attempts to scald him with hot water from a tea-pot and to brain him with a stove lid, but in so doing she burned herself so severely that she has since died.

—The London *Fun* reports that the Peace Society is considering the feasibility of reducing the height of the Alps below the line of perpetual snow. Their reasons for wishing to do this is that at present these mountains endanger the peace of Europe. They give rise to piques, and produce coolness between France and Switzerland and Italy.

—A lady guest at a Paducah hotel was terribly frightened, the other evening, by a negro dropping through the ceiling into her apartment. The landlord had been informed that thieves were secreted in the house, and sent one of the negro waiters to search the garret. The darkey made a misstep, and, the plastering giving way, was precipitated into the lady's room.

Presbyterian Eloquence in the Olden Times.

An olk book thus describes the method of preaching popular among the Presbyterians of the seventeenth century:

"One John Simple, a very zealous preacher among them, used to personate and act sermons in the old monkish style. At a certain time he preached upon that debate whether a man be justified by faith or by works, and acted it after this manner: 'Sirs, this is a very great debate; but who is that looking in at the door with his red cap? It is very ill manners to be looking in; but what's your name? Robert Bellarmine, Bellarmine, saith he, whether is a man justified by faith or works? He is justified by works. Stand thou there, man. But what is he, that honest-like man standing in the floor with a long beard and Geneva cowl? A very honest-like man! draw near; what's your name sir? My name is John Calvin. Calvin, honest Calvin, whether is a man justified by faith or by works? He is justified by faith. Very well, John, thy leg to my leg, and we shall houg (trip) down Bellarmine even now.' Another time, preaching on the day of judgment, he told them, 'Sirs, this will be a terrible day; we'll all be there, and in the throng I, John Simple, will be, and all of you will stand at my back. Christ will look at me, and he will say, who is that standing there? I'll say again, yea, even as ye ken'd not, Lord. He'll say, I know'st thou'st honest John Simple; draw near, John. Now, John, what good service have you done to me on earth? I have brought hither a company of blue bonnets for you, Lord. Blue bonnets, John? What has become of the brave hats, the silks and satins, John? I'll tell, I know not, Lord; they went a gait of their own. Well, honest John, thou and thy blue bonnets are welcome to me; come to my right hand, and let the devil take the hats, the silks and the satins.' "—*Curiosities of the Pulpit. By Thos. Jackson.*

Two editors in Chicago undertook to produce a velocipede on a new and improved pattern. One was to furnish the money, and the other the inventive skill. A large, three-wheeled affair was secretly constructed in a basement, and when finished it was found to be several inches wider than the doorway. The two editors are consulting whether to tear down the house or pull the velocipede to pieces.

How to Manage Precocious Children.

(From Bellowes' "Philosophy of Eating.")

Many of the most prominent children are sacrificed to a desire to bring them forward in advance of other children, and this desire is stimulated by natural instincts. Every living creature rejoices in the use of the faculties which God has given it, "as a strong man to run a race." The boy whose muscles are well developed will never keep still, but is ready for anything, good or bad, in which he can stir himself. To such a one study is a punishment.

But the boy whose muscles are feeble, and whose brain is largely developed, sits still and reads, and the appetite, of course, conforms to the kind and amount of exercise. If he wastes his muscle in exercise, his appetite will demand the muscle-making nitrates to supply the waste. If he wastes the phosphorus of the brain by study, he will desire phosphatic food to restore it. While the fat and stupid boy, who has neither muscle or brain, will crave carbonaceous articles to feed his stupidity; and indulgence in these appetites will, of course, increase the peculiarity.

I have seen the little kingbird, after an hour of extraordinary exertions in driving from the neighborhood an intruding hawk, devote the next hour to catching bees and hornets, which abound both in nitrates and phosphates, as a means of restoring his muscular and vital eneagy. The bird is safe in following his inclinations, living as it does according to natural laws, and having no abnormal development of faculties, and no abnormal appetites, it can eat what it desires, and as much, with perfect impunity.

But the child, changed in its condition as it may be by the ignorance and folly of its parents, even before its birth, is abnormally developed, and of course has abnormal appetites.

Indulging these appetites in case of precocity of the brain, of course increases the excitement of the brain, and the result is inflammation and premature death.

A child with a precocious brain, or who is very forward, to use the common expression, is of course more liable to dangerous diseases of the brain than other children; but if parents would give the subject thought, and use their reason in this, as in other less important matters, these diseases might generally be warded off.

If our eyes have been overworked, or are weak and liable to inflammation, we avoid over-using them, especially in the strong light, and if so inflamed that too light, and all use of them gives pain, we shut out light altogether, and give them rest till they recover. Both light and seeing are pleasant to the eyes in health, and absotutely necessary to give them health and strength, but when diseased, are both alike injurious and we avoid the influence of both till they recover. And when only weak, and not absolutely diseased, we are careful to have the light or use the eye only moderately and carefully. So of any other organ or faculty, that which is necessary to it in health must be carefully used in tendency to disease.

Apply this principle to a precocious brain. The brain is as dependent on appropriate exercise and a supply of phosphorus in health, as is the eye on exercise and light; and as we withdraw the exercise and light in weakness and disease, so should we allow the brain from exercise and phosphatic food in case of disease or premature development.

Tattlers and Tattling.

The disposition to pry into the privacy of domestic life is, unfortunately, very common, and is always dishonorable. The appetite for such knowledge is to be regarded as morbid, and the indulgence of it disgraceful.

A family have a sacred right to privacy. In guarding the delicate relations of the household, secrecy becomes a virtue. Even if by chance the private affairs of a household are laid open to a stranger, honor will require him to turn from them, and if a knowledge of them were forced upon him, they should be locked in a sacred silence.

A double obligation of silence and secrecy rests upon one who is a guest in a family. The turpitude of a betrayal of family history by a visitor, is far greater than theft would be. To pocket half a dozen silver spoons would do far less damage, produce far less suffering, and be less immoral, than talebearing. It is a thing so scandalous that it should degrade a person, and put him out of society. To betray the secrets of the household is not only an odious immorality, but it is a sin and a shame to be on good terms with those who are known to commit such outrages. They are miscreants. They put themselves out of the pale of decent society, They should be treated as moral outlaws.

These hungry-eyed wretches who sit in the unsuspicious circle of parents and children, treasuring their words, spying their weaknesses, misinterpreting the innocent liberties of the household, and then run from house to house with their shameless news are worse than poisoners of wells or burners of houses. They poison the faith of man in man. If one opens his mouth to tell you such things, with all your might smite him in the face! There are two actions which justify you in instantly knocking a man down; the one is the act pointing a gun at you in sport, and the other is the attempt to tell you a secret which it is disgraceful for him to get, and for you to hear. Make no terms with such people. Tale bearers have no rights. They are common enemies of good men. Hunt, harry and hound them out of society! They are the worst of pests save one, and that is the listener to the tale bearer.

There could be no tattling if there were no one to hear. It takes an ear and a tongue to make a scandal. Greedy listening is as dishonorable as nimble tattling. The ear is the open market where the tongue sells its illgotten wares. Some there are that will not repeat again what they hear, but they are willing to listen to it! They will not trade in contraband goods, but they will buy enough of the smuggler for family use!

These respectable listeners are the patrons of tattlers. It is the ready market that keeps tale-bearing brisk. It is a shame to listen to ill of your neighbor. Christian benevolence demands that you do not love ill news. A clean heart and a true honor rejoice in kindly things. It should be a pain and sorrow to know of anything that degrades your neighbor in you eyes, even if he is your enemy; how much more if he is your friend?—*Henry Ward Beecher, N. Y. Ledger.*

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

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Business, although improving slightly, is still very dull, and our merchants generally continue to complain of hard times. For some few articles there is a better demand, but as a general thing, it is light, and confined almost entirely to supplying immediate wants; so far as values are concerned, there are no important changes, one way or the other. There is such a strong competition in nearly all branches of business here that margins are very light, and it would appear that the only way to make almost any kind of business pay is to do a good deal of it—"small profits and quick returns." Money continues tight, and there is a general complaint in regard to the difficulty in making collections.

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APPLE BUTTER—90@$1 per gallon.

BUTTER—Notwithstanding the arrivals continue liberal, the market is steady and prices unchanged, 45@48 for prime to choice Roll.

BEANS—$3,25@3,50 per bushel.

CHEESE—Market almost bare; small sales New York Goshen at 24@25.

CARBON OIL—Is still quoted at 29@30 in a jobbing way for standard brands.

CRANBERRIES—None in market.

CORNMEAL—$1,75@1,80 per cwt.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches dull but unchanged at 14 for quarters, and 18 for halves. Apples scarce and in demand at 12@13.

EGGS—Market is a shade stronger, but unchanged at 20c.

FEATHERS—A shade firmer, and we now quote live geese feathers at 80 to the trade, and the usual advance in a retail way.

FLOUR—The demand is fair and the market barely active while prices are unchanged. We continue to quote Spring Wheat brands at $6,50@7, and Winter Wheat at $7,50@8. Rye Flour $7@7,25. Mill prices unchanged.

GRAIN—The grain market is a little stronger in consequence of very light stocks, but the demand is light and prices are no higher. Red Wheat nominal at $1,50, with none in market, Ear Corn is in demand for feeding and scarce with sales of prime Yellow at 78@80, Shelled is dull and unchanged at 73@75. Oats quiet but firm; sales on track at 66 and in store at 68@70. Rye is dull and nominal at $1,40. There is nothing doing in Barley, and there are no established quotations.

HAY—Baled is in steady demand with sales on wharf, at $24@28, as to quality.

HOMINY—$5,75@6 per bbl.

HEMP—$225 per ton.

LARD Oil—Sales No. 1 at $1,55@1,58.

MAPLE MOLASSES—Sales in gallon ugs at $1,50@1,75.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is in steady demand at 14@14¼ for Shoulders; 16½ for Ribbed, and 17¾@18 for Clear Sides; and 19½ for Sugar Cured Hams. Steamed Lard 19, and kettle rendered, 19¼@20. Dried Beef 21. Mess Pork $32,00.

POTATOES—In good supply and unchanged: sales in store, at 75@80.

PEANUTS—10 cts per pound.

SEEDS—There is a very fair demand for Clover, with sales at $10@10,50, and Timothy at $3,50@3,75. Flaxseed quoted at $2,45@2,50.

SALT—May be quoted at $1,80@1,85 by the car load, and $1,95@2 for small lots in store.

WHISKY—The Whisky market is dull and so irregular that it is difficult to give accurate quotations.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Cotton ¼c better and more active; sales 5,800 bales at 28¾@29c for middling uplands. Flour dull and declining; receipts, 6,522 bbls; sales 5,400 bbls at $5,40@6,00 for superfine State and western, $6@6,45 for extra State, $6@6,90 for extra western, $7@8,20 for white wheat extra, $6,15@7,30 for round hoop Ohio, $7@8,50 for extra St. Louis, and $9@12 for good to choice do, closing quiet. Rye flour quiet and heavy; sales 200 bbls at $5@6,90, the latter an extreme. Corn meal dull. Whiskey quiet and heavy: sales 30 bbls western at 92c for free. Wheat dull and 1@2c lower; receipts, 2,100 bus; sales 28,000 bus at $1,40@1,43 for No. 2 Spring in store and delivered, $1,62½ for white California, and $1,72½ for amber Michigan. Rye dull and drooping, sales 1,500 bus prime Milwaukee at $1,35. Rye malt dull; sales 1,000 bus at $1,35. Barley heavy and declining; sales 14,000 bus at $2 for German and Canada West. Barley malt dull and drooping. Corn not so active; heavy, 1 lower; 67,000 bushels at 85½@87; new mixed Western, closing at 86@86¼; shipping lots 85@88, old do. in store and afloat, 88½; handsome old white Western, 95; prime new white Southern; receipts Oats, 11,631; Oats dull, 27,000 bushels at 78@78½; Western afloat, 76½ bid, 77 asked, do, in store; Rice dull at 8¾@9¼; Carolina Coffee quiet; Sugar dull, 150 hhds Cuba, 12@12½; Molasses quiet, 60 hhds Cuba at 15@50; Petroleum quiet and unsettled, 17 for Crude; 31½@32 for refined; Bonded Hops quiet at 8@15; American Coal, domestic, quiet; $5.00@6.00 by cargo; foreign dull at $9.50; New Castle Gas 12; Liverpool Gas; Leather: Hemlock sole quiet, drooping about previous prices; Wool continues quiet, 16,000 pounds at 45@67: domestic fleece; 33@34 unwashed; 25@48 pulled. Linseed oil steady at $1.02@1.03. Pork firm; 1,850 bbls at $30,80@31. New mess, $31@31.12. Job lots do. $30.75; old do. $26@26.25; prime $28.50@29. Prime Mess Beef dull, 130 barrels at 8@16: new plain mess 12@18, new extra mess. Tierce beef, heavy, 200 tierces. 23@28 for prime mess, and $25@32 for India mess. Beef Hams steady, with sales of 175 bbls at $26@32. Cut Meats steady; sales of 325 pkgs at 12@13¼c for shoulders, 16@17c for hams; middles quiet, with sales of 130 bxs at 16¾c for Cumberland cut, and 16½c for short ribbed. Lard firm; sales of 935 tcs at 17¾@18¾c, chiefly at 18¾c for steam, and 18¾@19¼c for kettle rendered; also, 250 tcs steam, seller May, at 18¾c. Butter 30@37c for Ohio, and 30@47c for State. Cheese firm at 18@22c. Freights to Liverpool firmer, with engagements per steamer for 10,000 bus corn at 2½d. Spirits Turpentine firm at 50@50¼c. Metals—Sheathing Copper is steady at 33c; ingot quiet and steady at 23¼@23¼c for all kinds. Pig Iron moderately active at $40@44 for Scotch, and $37@42 for American; Bar quiet at $85@90 for English and American; Sheet in moderate request at 11½@12¼c in gold for Russia. Nails quiet at 4¾@5c for cut, 6¼@6½c for clinch and 27@30c for horse-shoe.

Latest.—Flour closed dull and 5c lower for medium and low grades. Wheat is dull and 1c lower for spring, and winter is scarce and held more firmly. Rye is dull and held at $1,35 for western. Oats; prices were nominal at the close of the market, and western in store could have been bought at 76½@76¾c. Corn is lower and dull, at 85@86¼c for new mixed western, and 87½@87¾c for old mixed western in store and delivered. Pork is quiet, with buyers of new mess at $31, and sellers at $31,12½. Beef is dull and unchanged. Cut Meats and Bacon are nominal. Lard is firm at 18c for prime steam. Eggs are dull and held at 21@23c.

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—Tobacco more active but unchanged. In Cotton there is some inquiry at 27c for middling. Hemp—small sales choice undressed at $1,50@1,55. Flour very dull with only a small order demand: spring and fall superfine ranges at $4@5,25; do. extra $4,75@5,75; do double extra $6,25@7; fall treble extra $7,50@9. Wheat—choice fall brought full prices, but medium and low grades are dull and lower; prime to choice red sold at $1,50@1,80; strictly choice to fancy $1,85@1,95; spring lower at $1,07@1,10, the latter for choice, and some lots of fancy at $1,20. Corn dull and lower at $1,65@1,66½ for yellow and white, and 68@69c for fancy white. Oats dull at 61@64c, closing lower at 60@62½c. Barley firm at $1,75 for prime Illinois; $2,22½ for fancy Minnesota. Rye firmer, $1,23. Whisky dull and easier, 87@87½. Groceries are in rather better demand. Sugar ranges from 12¼@14¾c for Louisiana. Coffee higher, 26¾@26c for choice rio; other grades range from 20@25½c. Molasses steady at 75@85c for plantation. Pork quiet and firm, small jobbing sales at $31,00. In bulk meats there is nothing doing. Bacon dull, and jobbing sales were made at 13½c for shoulders, 16½c for clear rib, and 16¼@16¾c for clear sides. Lard quiet with a demand at 17@17½c, and no sellers. Receipts—flour, 1,500 bbls; wheat, 23,900 bushels; corn, 16,800 bushels; oats, 8,200 bushels; rye, 350 bushels.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Eastern Exchange firm at par, buying, and 1-10 per cent. premium, selling. Flour dull at $5,50@6,25 for spring extra. Wheat dull and ½@¾c lower, with sales No. 1 at $1,12@1,15, and No. 2 at $1,04¾@1,07½; closing steady at $1,05; sales No. 2 since 'Change at $1,04½. Corn quiet and ¼@½c lower, with sales new at 50½@53c; no grade at 50@50½; closing at 50@50¼ for new: nothing doing this afternoon. Oats dull at 51¾@53½; closing at 51¼c; sales at 54c, seller for the last half of April. Rye more active and ½c higher at $1,16@1,19 for regular and fresh; closing at $1,16@1,17 for regular and fresh. Barley 2@3c higher, with sales at $1,68@1,75; closing steady at $1,70@1,75. Highwines—86c offered, and 87c asked. New Orleans Molasses at $1@1,05. Sugar at 14@15¼c for common to choice. Provisions steady and firm. Mess Pork at $30,50, cash, $31 seller for last half of May. Lard at 17¾@18. Sweet Pickled Hams at 13½. Cumberland Middles at 14½, loose. Bulk Shoulders at 12c, buyer for this month. Receipts for the past 24 hours—9,616 bbls flour, 18,772 bush wheat, 41,098 bus corn, 4,276 bush orts, 1,364 bush rye, 1,200 bush barley, 7,420 hogs. Shipments—10,795 bbls flour, 12,334 bush wheat, 20,557 bush corn, 9,399 bush oats, 1,876 bush rye, 2,275 bush barley, 9,004 hogs.

CINCINNATI, April 14.—Flour firmer and in better demand at $6,25@6,50 for family. Wheat in good demand; sales of 2,500 bush No. 2 red winter at $1,35, and $1,45 for No. 1. Corn in demand at 65c for ear. Oats firmer at 66@90c. Cotton firm at 27¼@27½c for middling. Tobacco firm and in good demand at full prices. Whisky in but moderate demand at 90c. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Mess Pork held at $31, but not saleable at better than $30. Bulk meats dull at 11¾c for loose shoulders, but they are generally held at 12c, and 14½c for sides. Bacon dull at 13c for shoulders; 16½c for sides, and 16¾c for clear rib and clear; a lot of country shoulders are offering at 12½c packed. Lard firmer at 18c for city, and 17½c for country. Butter dull at 38@44c. Eggs declined to 17@18c with a large supply. No change in Oil; Linseed at $1,05; Lard at $1,45@1,50. Petroleum at 33@35c for refined. Timothy seed advanced to $3,40@3,50. Clover quiet at 15¼@15½c. Sugar dull at 13½@15 for New Orleans. Molasses at 80@85c and scarce, and Porto Rico declined to 70@75c. Coffee steady at 20@26c. Gold 132½ buying. Exchange firm at par to 50 premium buying and 1-10 premium selling.

TOLEDO, April 14.—Flour nominal. Wheat dull, closing 2½c lower: amber $1,42½; white $1,44; amber $1,45, buyer for April. Corn steady and fairly active; No. 1 67c; No. 2 62½c. Rye dull and nominal at $1,28@1,30. Barley; Canada held at $1,95; State $1,75; no sales. Receipts—2,100 bbls flour: 2,000 bush wheat; 7,200 bush corn; 400 bush oats; 200 bush rye. Shipments—2,600 bbls flour; 12,000 bush wheat; 12,700 bush corn; 12,600 bush oats; 2,100 bush rye.

LOUISVILLE, April 14.—Tobacco; sales of 220 hhds at $5,00@27,50 for lugs and manufacturing leaf. Mess Pork $31,50. Lard 17¼@18c. Bacon; shoulders 13¼c, clear rib sides 16¾c, clear sides 17¼c. Bulk shoulders 12¾c, and clear sides 16¼c. Flour $5,50@6,00. Wheat $1,55@1,60. Corn 65@66c. Oats 60@65c. Hay $20@21. Sugar; New Orleans fair 13¼c, prime 14¾c, and choice 15½c. Molasses 75@85c. Cotton 27c. Whisky 91c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—Flour is quiet and unchanged, except Ohio extra family, which sells at $8@8,25. Wheat is firm at $1,80@1,85 for amber. Rye is unchanged. Corn is in good demand, with sales of mixed at 84@86c. Oats steady at 73@75c. Petroleum is steady and unchanged. Provisions are unchanged. Whiskey is quiet and unchanged.

CLEVELAND, April 14.—Flour market dull and unchanged. Wheat—No. 1 red winter held at $1,45; No. 2 do. held at $1,33. Corn—sales 2 cars shelled mixed at 71c. Oats held at 64c. Rye dull and nominal at $1,25@1,28. Petroleum market quiet and the general asking price is 30@31c for standard white refining, but there is nothing doing; small lots held at 32@33c.

MILWAUKEE, April 14.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat unsettled and lower, $1,11 for No. 1, and $1,06 for No. 2. Oats dull and nominal. Corn steady, 55@55½c for new. Rye entirely nominal. Barley steady at $1,65@1,70 for No. 2. Receipts—2,000 bbls flour, 7,000 bushels wheat, 2,000 bushels oats. Shipments—6,000 bbls flour. 9,000 bushels wheat.

BALTIMORE, April 14.—Flour is dull. Wheat is dull. Corn firmer, white $1,85@1,86. Oats dull at 75@76 for western. Rye dull, prime $1,50. Mess Pork quiet at $32. Bacon firm, rib sides at 16½, clear do., 17½, shoulders 14½, hams 20@21. Lard buiet at 19½. Whisky in better demand at 92@93, the latter extreme.

MEMPHIS, April 14.—Cotton firmer at 27¾@28c; receipts 494 bales; exports 30. Flour dull, with superfine at $5,30@6,00. Corn 70@72c. Oats 65c. Hay $25@26. Pork $32. Lard 19@20c. Bacon quiet; shoulders 13½c; sides 17¼c. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 12½c; sides 16¼c.

DETROIT, April 14.—Wheat quiet; No. 1 white winter $1,62; No. 2 do, $1,38@1,40; No. 1 amber $1,40@1,42. Mill stuffs firm: bran $20@20,50; coarse middlings $22; fine $27,50@28. Clover seed advancing, being firm at $9 per 60 lbs.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, April 14.—*Cattle Market.*—Hogs tolerably active and 10@15c lower; $9,60@9,95 for medium, $10,25@10,75 for good to choice. Cattle active but steady; at opening the market was quiet and easy: at close sales were made at $5,25@5,75 for common, $6@6,75 for fair to medium, $7@7,62½ for good to choice.

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—*Cattle Market.*—Cattle quiet and unchanged, with no shipping demand; prices range from 2¾@7c for inferior to choice. Hogs dull, 8@10c per gross.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The market has been generally steady at the recent decline, and there is an improved inquiry for all staple fabrics suited to the season, although the trade is far from being active or satisfactory. The only change of importance to-day is in Pequot 10 4 bleached sheetings, which are selling at 65c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, April 14.—17 cars metal, Nimick & Co; 1 do do, Coleman, Rahm & Co: 4 do do, Bryan & Caughey; 1 do do, J W Porter; 3 do do, J Wood, Son & Co; 1 do do, Zug & Co; 250 bags timothy seed, W W Knox: 66 bdls handles, H R M'Clelland; 60 do do, Campbell, G & Co; 50 do seed, Kirkpatrick & Co; 114 bdls handles, Wright & Bebee; 42 do hides, E H M'Clellan; 48 do do, Boyd, M & Co; 25 bbls highwines, R Lyon & Co; 100 do flour, Watt, Lang & Co; 100 do do, C B Leech; 100 do do, J A Dietz; 100 do do, Seghmyer & Voskamp; 200 do do, owners; 100 do do, 5 tcs lard, E Hazelton; 1 car staves, M P Adams; 1 do do, W Hastings; 1 do corn, J W Simpson; 1 do rye, W J Meek; 57 bbls apples, 12 pkgs butter and eggs, Voigt, M & Co: 10 bbls apples, P Duff & Son; 20 do do, Carter, M'Grew & Co; 3 pkgs sundries, Kirkpatrick & Co; 2 do butter, 3 bbls eggs, 6 do apples, H Rea; 6 bbls butter, W C Armstrong: 5 do apples Bruggeman & O; 16 hides, B Pflaum; 100 bxs cheese, owners: 25 do do, Smith & Johnston; 20 do do, J A Scott; 32 tubs butter, W H Graff; 2 bbls eggs, Little & Baird; 20 do apples, Voigt, M & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, April 14.—1 car shingles, Mellon & Bros; 4 cars blooms, Nimick & Co; 1 car clay, Hussey & Co; 2 cars iron ore, Reese, Graff & Dull; 60 bbls fluid, J J Palmer & Co; 3 kegs apple butter, P Lichel; 10 cases tobaco, W Miller & Co; 25 do do, S P Schriver & Co; 7 bbls eggs, G Cuerson; 3 do apples, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 20 jugs molasses, A L Cramer & Co; 10 do do, A M Byers; 70 do do, J Poetcifi; 3 hhds 1 tec shoulders, Watt, Lang & Co; 7 casks bacon, 2 kgs lard, J J Pettit & Co; 17 rolls leather, G N Hoffstott; 42 bdls chairs, Hammer & Dauler 1 bx butter, 1 do eggs, P Duff & Son; 14 bales hemp, H Gerwig & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, April 14.—7 pkgs hides, James Callery; 1 bbl eggs, W H Kirkpatrick & Co; 1 car stone, Henderson, A & Co; 1 do do, Harrison & Bro; 1 bbl eggs, Wallace & K; 2 cars metal, McKnight, P & Co; 2 do do, John Moorhead; 1 car scrap iron, Jones & Laughlins; 400 bbls oil, Standard Oil Co; 8 bbls whisky, McCullough, Smith & Co; 4 bgs seed, 1 bx onions, Shipton & Wallace: 2 sks rags, Godfrey & Clark: 8 cars railroad iron, Hannibal & Naples RR Co; 4 bbls eggs, 5 do potatoes, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 1 car grain, Bingham & Laing.

ALLEGHENY STATION, April 14.—50 bales hay, Hippley & Beckert; 2 cars staves, Ralya & Robertson; 6 tcs lard, G W Pusey; 1 car metal, Lewis, Bailey & Dalzell; 1 do shingles, J M'Briar; 2 do metal, 5 do limestone, Superior Iron Co; 6 do metal, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 1 car corn, M Steel & Son; 1 do barley, Lutz & Walz.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD, April 14.—3 bbls tallow, W Flaccus & Son; 1 do eggs, Smith, Johnston & Co; 19 sks rags, Christy & Benham; 60 do oats, Scott & Gisal; 3 bbls vinegar, Munhall Megraw & Co.

RIVER NEWS.

The river was about stationary last evening with seven feet in the channel by the Monongahela marks last evening. The weather continues cool but pleasant, and very favorable for out door business.

There are no arrivals to report excepting the regular packets. The Mary Davage and barges, from St. Louis; New York from Nashville: and R. C. Gray Cincinnati, are among the first boats.

The Kenton from Portsmouth will be in port to-day, and will return as usual to-morrow.

The Grey Eagle arrived and departed for Parkersburg, as usual, yesterday.

The Maggie Hays departed for St. Louis yesterday with an excellent trip.

The Gallatin, in command of Capt. A. S. Shepard will take her place in the Pittsburgh and Parkersburg trade to-morrow.

The Anstralia, Capt. Dan Moore, is filling up steadily for New Orleans.

The Waunita, Capt. C. A. Dravo, is the only boat now in port for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi, and passengers and shippers will bear in mind that she will soon be ready to take her departure.

The Armadillo, Capt. M'Carty, will positively leave for St. Louis to-day, and shippers can rely on this. She is a tip-top boat and is in first rate condition for business.

The Camelia, Capt. Thos. H. Golding, takes her departure for Nashville to-day without fail.

The high headed Alaski, Capt. F. J. Oakes, is filling up steadily for New Orleans and is announced to take her departure to-day. She is a big carrier, and no mistake.

—The Emma No. 3 arrived at New Orleans on Monday.

—The Lorena left St. Louis for Pittsburgh on Monday.

—The New York and R. C. Gray, were advertised to leave Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

—The Wild Duck and Bellevernon were at Evansville on Monday, and the Glendale, passed Louisville the same day.

—The towboat Grand Lake was at Cairo on Monday, and the Simpson Horner, Pittsburgh to New Orleans, passed Memphis the same day.

—Senator Morton is of opinion that the River and Harbor Bill, as it passed, will enable the Secretary of War to provide for the continuance of work on the Louisville Canal.

—No tidings have been received of Wright Rea, who mysteriously disappeared from Madison a few weeks ago. The general impression is that he has been foully dealt with.

—A dispatch from Minneapolis, Minn., under date of Monday, announces that the ice in the river commenced running Saturday, but has done no serious damage so far, though heavily gorged ten miles above.

—Save the Cincinnati *Enquirer* of Tuesday: The towboat V. F. Wilson passed down with two barges of staves from Kanawha River, which are to be shipped to New Orleans and thence to France. How's that for the great water route?

—We find the following details in the Cincinnati *Gazette*, in regard to the Thompson disaster: The boat left here on the last day of March, half loaded, and filled out at Louisville, for points on the Arkansas river. Included in her cargo were 300 barrels lime, which are reported as having taken fire immediately after she struck, causing the total destruction of the boat and the loss of seventeen lives, including the two clerks, Mr. Geo. Ely, chief clerk, engaged as clerk on the Kenton in 1862, and has since been on the Nightingale under Capt. Frazier, and lastly on the Thompson. He was some twenty-eight years of age, married a daughter of Mr. Giddings, a well known merchant of this city, and had two children. He resided in this city. Mr. Perkins was an old clerk on the river, and resided here, was formerly on the Mail Line packets. He leaves a wife but no children. Capt. J. Alex. Frazier and his family, who were on board, are known to be safe. The Thompson was a sternwheel steamer, valued at $10,000. Her hull was built at Racine, Wisconsin, in November, 1861, class B. I, and her machinery at Milwaukee. She had a capacity of 215 tuns, Custom House measurement, and carrying capacity of 350 tuns; was owned by James H. Kelly, of Racine, Wisconsin, and Captain James A. Frazier, her commander, of this city. She had one of the best hulls on any boat from this port, which was insured for $7,500—in the Boatmen's and Eureka, of this city, and Home, of New Haven, for $2,500 each. The Home also had a risk of $2,000 on the cargo.

LOUISVILLE, April 14.—The river is rising, with nine feet of water in the canal. Weather clear and pleasant.

RIVER PACKETS.

MEMPHIS AND NEW ORLEANS.

FOR MEMPHIS AND NEW ORLEANS.—The new and spleudid passenger packet ALASKA. .....F. J. OAKES, Commanders, Will leave for the above and all intermediate ports, on THURSDAY, April 15th, at 4 P.M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to GHRIEST, SWANEY & CO., Agents.

Through rates on the above boat to Galveston, Indianola, Lavacca and Brazos, via Morg. a Line to Selma, Montgomery and Wetumpka, Ala., via Baker's Line of steamers; also, via Koun's Line Red River Packets to Alexandria, Grand Ecore, Shreveport and Jefferson, given by GHRIEST, SWANEY & CO., ap13 93 Water street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR MEMPHIS AND NEW ORLEANS.—The steamer AUSTRALIA.....Capt. ——, Will leave for the above and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, April 17th, at 4 P. M.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, GHRIEST, SWANEY & CO., ap2 Agents.

NASHVILLE.

FOR CLARKSVILLE AND NASHVILLE.—The fine passenger steamer CAMELIA.....Capt. GOLDING, Will leave for the above and intermediate ports on THIS DAY, 15th inst., at 4 P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, GHRIEST, SWANEY & CO., ap6 Agents.

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FOR WHEELING, MARIETTA, PARKERSBURG AND CINCINNATI.

Leaves Pittsburgh EVERY TUESDAY 12 M. Leaves Cincinnati EVERY FRIDAY—4 P. M.

The swift and superb Sidewheel Steamer ST. MARYS, T. C. SWEENEY, Commander, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on board, or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, or COLLINS & BARNES, Agents.

N. B.—No Freight received on Tuesday after 11 A. M. mh29

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FOR ST. LOUIS, DUBUKE AND ST. PAUL.—The steamer WAUANITA.....Capt. C. A. DRAVO, Will leave as above on FRIDAY, 16th inst., at 4 P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board or to JOHN FLACK, ap12 J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

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PITTSBURGH, WHEELING AND PARKERSBURG LINE.—Leave Company's Wharf boat, foot of Wood Street, daily at 12 M., WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS.

GREY EAGLE.....C. L. BRENNAN, Master. Freight will be received at all hours by JAMES COLLINS, FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, ap13 Agents.

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, Pittsburgh, April 1st, 1869.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE 21st section of an Act relating to Allegheny County, approved the 1st day of May, 1861, and of the amendment to said section, approved the 30th day of March, 1866, I do hereby give notice that the Duplicates for the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships WILL BE OPEN, and I will be prepared to receive the

County, State, Poor, Workhouse and Improvement Taxes for 1869.

On and after the 1st day of May, 18 9. Said taxes can be paid at this Office until the 1st day of August with a DEDUCTION OF FIVE PER CENT. for prompt payment to all persons paying the whole amount of their taxes.

There will be no deduction allowed during the month of August. There will be

Ten Per Cent. Added

To all taxes remaining unpaid on the 1st day of September, 1869.

J. F. DENNISTON, ap2:d&T Treasurer of Allegheny County.

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NOTICE.

I hereby warn all persons from trusting my wife, MARY ANN LYTLE, on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.

ALFRED LYTLE.

PITTSBURGH, April 6, 1869.

NEW MESSINA ORANGES.

Extra large and sweet just received and for sale by the dozen; also, new Messina Lemons, for sale by JOHN A. RENSHAW, ap Corner Liberty and Ninth streets.

INDIA RUBBER BELTING, Hose, Steam Packing and Gaskets of the Boston Belting Companies manufacture at prices as low as this quality of goods can be bought of the manufacturer. A full stock always on hand at the India Rubber Depot, 26 and 28 Sixth street. J. & H. PHILLIPS, fe8 Sole Agents for the Company.

BUTTER.—10 packages Fresh Roll Butter, just received and for sale by J. B. CANFIELD, 141 First avenue.

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SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of all Livery Stable keepers in said city, to make a return to the City Treasurer, within twenty days after the passage of this Ordinance, and annually thereafter, on or before the 1st day of May of each and every year, of the number of Vehicles of every description, owned and used by them in their business, and the kind thereof, and the same return shall be made under oath.

SEC. 4. All owners of Carts, Drays Wagons, and other Vehicles, who shall neglect or refuse to procure a license as aforesaid, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten per cent. for every thirty days the same remains unpaid after the 1st day of May of each year. All Livery Stable Keepers failing to make the return required in the 3d Section of this Ordinance, shall, in addition to the foregoing, be subject to a penalty of not exceeding fifty dollars, all of which penalty shall be recovered before the Mayor, or one of the Aldermen of said city, by summary conviction; and it shall be the duty of the Chief of Police to seek out all persons who have failed to comply with any of the provisions of this Ordinance and report the same to the City Treasurer, for which service he shall receive the sum of fifty cents in each case, to be taxed and collected as part of the costs, upon conviction as aforesaid.

The penalties for non-compliance with the ordinance will be strictly enforced after the above date. D. MACFERRON, City Treasurer.

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PITTSBURGH, March 10, 1869. mh30:g55

THE MAN, OR THE MEN, who hold PATRON'S TICKETS of the 2d and 3d SERIES OF WASHINGTON MEDALLION PENS, are hereby informed that the drawings were made January 29, 1869, and that circulars giving full information of the numbers drawn, will be sent to persons interested, on their addressing the WASHINGTON MEDALLION PEN COMPANY, New York.

N. B.—READ THE TICKETS OF THE 4TH SERIES. fe15:5

RAILROADS.

PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.

On and after TUESDAY, November, 17th, 1868, trains will arrive at and depart from the Depot corner of Grant and Water streets, as follows.

	Depart.	Arrives.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:00 A. M.	6:00 P. M.
McKeesport Accomd'n	11:00 A. M.	3:05 P. M.
Ex. to and from Unt'n.	3:00 P. M.	10:10 A. M.
West Newton Accom'd	4:30 P. M.	9:35 A. M.
Braddock's Accomdt'n.	6:15 P. M.	7:50 P. M.
Night Ac. to McK'sport	10:30 P. M.	6:25 A. M.
Sunday Church Train to and from West Newton	1:00 P. M.	10:00 A.

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CHANGE OF TIME.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD,

On and after MONDAY, November 9th, 1868, TWO TRAINS DAILY will leave Pittsburgh Station, corner of Eleventh and Pike streets for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

LEAVE PITTSBURGH.		ARRIV IN PITTSBURGH	
Mail	7:15 a m	Mail	5:40 p m
Express	7:10 p m	Express	6:30 a m
Brady's B Ac	3:00 p m	Bradys B Ac	10:30 a m
1st Soda Works Accomd	10:50 a m	1st Soda Works Accomod'n	8.20 a m
2d Soda Works Accomod'n	5:00 p m	2d Soda Works Accomod'n	3:40 p m

Church Train leave Pittsburgh at 1:10 P. M. Arrive at Pittsburgh at 9:50 A. M.

Passengers taking express train have but one change of cars between Pittsburgh, Buffalo and Oil Regions. Mail and Express Trains stop only at principal points. Mixed Way and Accommodation trains stop at all stations.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1869.

WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE — *Second page: Poetry, "Betrothed Anew," Ephemeris, Clippings. Third and Sixth pages: Commercial, Financial, Mercantile and River News, Markets, Imports. Seventh page: Miscellany of Interesting Reading Matter, Amusements.*

U. S. BONDS at Frankfort, 87⅞.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 53@53½f.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 132¾.

THE Republican press of West Virginia protest against the confirmation of Mr. CARLISLE, recently nominated for the Swedish Mission. The Wheeling *Intelligencer* makes a most damaging exposure of that gentleman's political career, and establishes, beyond any dispute, his entire unworthiness to represent the Republicanism either of West Virginia or of anywhere else. We trust that the result will confirm the intimation, in Washington dispatches, that he will be rejected, if not withdrawn.

THE Pittsburgh *Post* of the 12th declared that the Connecticut Democrats in Convention "unfortunately passed resolutions in favor of paying the bonds in gold," which "lost them a couple of thousand votes." No such resolutions were "passed," and we admonished our neighbor of its error. Whereupon, the *Post* of the 14th explains that resolutions were adopted "ignoring" the Tammany Platform. That don't fill the bill! Instead of saying one thing, the Convention merely failed to say something else. It dodged the issue, as the *Post* dodges the truth.

THE ADVERTISING AGENCY of Messrs. COE, WETHERELL & Co., Philadelphia, we commend to our friends as one of the most trustworthy and honorable firms in the country. They transact business on a fair and liberal basis, prompt to meet obligations, mindful of contracts, and deal generously throughout. We have had much to do with them in advertising, and know whereof we speak in recommending them in high terms to the public at large. We were glad to learn, through our pleasant and high-toned friend, Mr. SMITH, of that firm, who recently paid us a visit, that they are doing a full share of trade, and in large measure prosperous and successful.

DEATH OF AN OLD MERCHANT.

We regret to announce the sudden death, by paralysis, of Mr. JAMES P. TANNER, at noon, on Tuesday, at his residence on Cliff street. In 1819, when a boy, Mr. TANNER emigrated from Ireland and settled in this city, where afterwards he became generally known and esteemed as the accomplished and popular Teller of the Merchants and Manufacturers Bank. Relinquishing that office, he engaged extensively in the boot and shoe trade, from which business he retired but a few months ago, in bad health.

His death, though not entirely unexpected, will be lamented not only by his stricken family, but by a large circle of relatives and friends.

THE BRIDGE NUISANCE.

It is understood that the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company carried all their points in the decision of the bridge-question by Congress at the recent session, succeeding in smothering all action upon the recommendations, from the Committees, for the protection of the navigation-rights of the people on the Upper Ohio. The result is that this corporation proceeds, under the pre-existing law, with its obstructions at Bellaire and Parkersburgh, and will "rush" them to completion, or so near to it, by December as to settle the question practically and perpetually in their own favor. It is said that this might have been prevented, but that it would have cost a good deal of money. We should regret to believe that members were venal, but we must admit that the organized wealth of one corporation secured to it, effectively, this triumph over the rights and interests of two millions of people. The railway agents were stronger than the friends of a free navigation, when it came to votes in the Senate. Why and how, this came about, would be an interesting thing to know. The only question, now, is—what can be done to avert the danger? And shall it be done promptly? We never yet knew the people to be sold, with their eyes open, in this country, without having tolerably potent objections, when it came to the matter of delivery. No mischief was ever without its remedy, and legally at that. A meeting of citizens at the Mayor's office to-morrow at 11 A. M., will take the business into its consideration.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

The Alabama treaty has been rejected by the Senate by an almost unanimous vote. But one Senator sustained it. Beyond an elaborate speech by Mr. SUMNER, there was little or no discussion, that speech presenting, under a general consent, the entire American case. The usual injunction of secresy has been removed so far as to authorize the immediate publication of that speech, and it will be laid before the country at once and in full. The telegraph affords a meagre synopsis of its positions, but we prefer to suspend our comments, until we have the complete text of the argument which thus officially presents the American view of this seriously important question. In the meantime, it is proper to remark that the unanimity of Senators must be accepted as a decisive expression of public sentiment, and that the policy of the Administration is certain to be conformed to the line they have taken. Whatever may have been the variance of opinions in this country, respecting this business, we have at last a settled policy for all to accept,—and it will be acquiesced in accordingly. There will be the less hesitancy on this point, since the final adjustment of the questions in dispute need not be anticipated at early day.

OUR LOCAL OFFICES.

Hon. RUSSELL ERRETT, accepting his appointment as Collector of Internal Revenue for the XXIId District, will enter upon his new duties on Monday next. He has resigned his trust, as one of the State Senators from Allegheny county, the resignation to take effect on Friday, the 16th. Elected in October, 1867, his Senatorial term would not legally expire until 1870, the succession being determined at the October election of that year. As the present session of the Legislature is to close on the 16th, Mr. ERRETT will have served but two-thirds of the Constitutional term. In his retirement, the people, not only of Allegheny, but of the whole Commonwealth, will lose a Senator whose superior in integrity, fidelity, discretion and influence, both personal and official, has never been known at Harrisburg. We will add that his constituents resign their Senator with a regret, which is only tempered by their grateful sense of that wise discretion which confides an important Federal trust to a man so capable, and to a Republican so deserving. The new Collector, T. W. DAVIS, Esq., takes his office on Saturday, the 17th. Mr. DAVIS receives this appointment in conformity to the wishes of a very large majority of our Republican friends, and with the expressed preference of our leading business circles in his favor. We doubt if Mr. DELANO has yet given a Collectorship to any gentleman presenting stronger papers than were filed in behalf of Mr. DAVIS. These papers represented almost the entire financial, commercial and Republican elements of this important district. We need not add one word to their recommendations. The community already know that Collector DAVIS will justify their endorsements and the choice of the Department. The new Collector of the Port, THOS. STEEL, Esq., also enters upon his new duties with the beginning of next week. This gentleman was recently our City Controller, and in that post manifested a special capacity for official business. As Collector and Depository, he cannot fail to give the utmost satisfaction.

The Senatorial vacancy must be filled at the election of next autumn. We hear a number of names of the probable candidates, viz: Messrs. S. B. CLULEY, GEO. WILSON, THOS. HOWARD, T. A. ROWLEY and GEO. H. ANDERSON. Other gentlemen may also be suggested.

THEN AND NOW.

When, early in the year 1866, Mr ANDREW JOHNSON flagrantly manifested his secret intent to betray the party which elected him to the Vice Presidency, and to dishonor the country which was already lamenting his accidental promotion to its highest office, there no longer remained any plea upon which such of our Republican friends as were inclined to be timid and conservative, could continue to palliate or excuse that man's political delinquency or his personal infamy. The result was that, with a very few exceptions, who were either office-holders or journalistic pilgrims to the shrine of place and profit, the entire body of the Republican party confronted his Administration, before the expiration of that year, with its hearty contempt.

But we are bound to remind our readers, in the interests of truth, that this journal had not waited for the events of all that year, to indicate its proper line of policy towards President JOHNSON. As early as in January '66, we were altogether satisfied that he was meditating the most unqualified treachery to his party, to the loyal North and to the Union element in the rebel States, and that nothing was to be gained by temporizing with the political situation, in the delusive hope of a future harmony which would be simply impossible. With this conviction, the GAZETTE took a decided position at once. It was the first Republican journal in this country to break ground openly against Johnsonism. Enjoying at that time the patronage of the Executive departments, this source of profit to its proprietors was instantly cut off. By special order, the GAZETTE was the first Republican journal in the country to be shut out from the official patronage of the Administration. And it was shut out accordingly. We had no complaints to make. We did our duty, and the Administration easily found more pliant and mercenary prints, to barter principles for advertisements. We were satisfied and they were happy; each maintained its distinctive poliey and secured what it most preferred—the GAZETTE, its principles, and its neighbors their profit.

We are led to remind our friends of these matters, in view of the fact that the GAZETTE has been selected, by the present Administration, within three days past, as the official medium, at Pittsburgh, of all public communications from the War, Interior and Postoffice Departments. The selections by the other Departments are not yet announced, and we shall not anticipate them. We thank Secretaries RAWLINS, COX and CRESSWELL for their preferences. Their advertisements will have a circulation which shall give to the Treasury its money's worth. So far, it is to be a fair business transaction. Beyond that, the Republican State of Allegheny, and the Republicans of Western Pennsylvania will be gratified, by this official recognition of a journal which has never swerved in the maintenance of their favorite opinions. And, still beyond all that, a philosophical and discriminating public will incline to see, in this three years' retrospect, a palpable illustration of the old maxim that time brings about its just retributions.

TAXING PETROLEUM.

The effort being made in the Legislature to impose a tax on crude petroleum meets with hearty condemnation from all persons interested in production. The original proposition to tax the oil one cent per gallon was so amended as to reduce the tax to one-quarter of a cent per gallon. The operators want no tax, and declare if one be imposed that it will do great harm to their interests and damage the general prosperity of the State. The Titusville *Herald*, the organ of the oil interest, in commenting on the proposed taxation, says with much truth and force:

The revival in producing in West Virginia, and the discovery of a deodorizing process by which the Canada oil, hitherto next to worthless, is made as good as that produced here, have brought into competition with the product of Pennsylvania the production of, and the large stock of oil in Canada, and a greatly enlarged production in West Virginia. With all this in view the tax bill is one of the most ignorant pieces of legislation, detrimental alike to the best interests of the State and Nation.

What kind of legislation is it to oppress a great industrial interest at a time when that interest needs protection? What can the Senators and Representatives be thinking of when they vote to impose an oppressive specific tax on Petroleum, when the State does not need the revenue to be derived therefrom?

Who wants a horde of tax-gatherers and inspectors, an army of warehousemen, numerous and immense State bonded warehouses, to hold the oil, and to collect a tax of which there is no need.

From the determination that has been apparent in the Legislature thus far to pass this most odious measure over the remonstrance of every person engaged in the pretroleum trade in Western Pennsylvania, it is scarcely to be expected that those who have engineered the bill and forced it thus far will let go of it until it is finally passed. The only hope of the producers is, then, that the Governor will veto the bill, and to this end no effort should be spared to bring the matter in its true bearings before him.

A SOUTHERN journalist thus writes concerning the good points secured to Southern society by the elevation of General GRANT to the Presidency:

But what a change has the last few months witnessed! General Grant's election buried the "lost cause" beyond hope of resurrection and established reconstruction on a firm and lasting basis; and now that the "madness of the hour" is passing away, we do not believe that there are a dozen men in the South—outside of disappointed political aspirants—who would have it otherwise. The traveller who stops at the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans, must now look in vain for the pictures of Lee and Jackson which but recently hung in the office. The New Orleans *Republican* is on the newsboy's stand in the rotunda every morning, and fully half of the guests at the hotel are from the North; many of them are capitalists in search of investments, We are to have a new steamboat on the lower Mississippi this fall; not named in honor of some General of the "lost cause," but fitly named after the beautiful city, "Natchez."

The newspapers have dropped the "so-called" in speaking of the public officials of our State, and no longer lard their leaders with "Radical tyranny" and "Northern despotism;" but in their stead we have articles encouraging immigration, developing railroad projects, complimentary of grain movements via New Orleans, urging the planter to become self-supporting, and so on; while that sterling newspaper, the New Orleans *Republican*, is being liberally patronized by business men of all classes, and the newsboys are no longer threatened with discharge by rival papers if they hawk it on the street; and Republican newspapers are springing up all over the South, and there is no one to "molest or make them afraid."

God speed the day when the last vestige of the old intolerance will have disappeared from the South, and in its stead let us have the intolerance which industry, honesty and thrift have for idleness, thieving and shiftlessness.

THE NEW YORK LEGISLATURE has had before it the subject of railroad freight discrimination, on which the Utica *Herald* says:

Both a majority and a minority report have been made on the question. Both reports admit the existence of the evils complained of, and the justice of the complaints. The majority report says: "But there is in the opinion of the undersigned good cause of complaint on the part of the people at different points on these railroad lines. The discrimination in favor of some points which are termed competing points, and consequently operating against other points less favored, seems to us to be manifestly unjust. We can see no remedy for this evil, unless it may be by fixing a maximum rate of freight, which shall restrain the corporations from compelling one section to make up deficiencies covered by cheap rates at competing points." The minority report indorses this view, and says: "While we are of the belief that a sound, judicious and equitable '*pro rata*' is the most conducive to that end, yet in deference to the views of the majority, faintly expressed, that the remedy for acknowledged evils lies in the direction of the 'maximum' principle, we have, with some care and labor, perfected a bill on that basis." As any chance, which places restrictions on the wholesale extortions practised by our leaking railroad corporations, will be an improvement, we trust the maximum bill will become a law. After it has been in operation a short time, perhaps some of our weak-kneed legislators will muster up courage enough to take another step, and give us a thorough *pro rata* law.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

DRUGGISTS IN COUNCIL.

Proposed Pharmaceutical Association—Physicians and Pharmaceutists—Report of Committee.

At an informal meeting of the druggists of Allegheny county, held March 1st, the resolutions passed by the County Medical Society, relative to filling prescriptions and the selling of patent medicines, were discussed, and a committee appointed to prepare a report in reference to the matter. Another meeting was held last evening at the Western University, for the purpose of hearing this report and organizing a Pharmaceutical Association.

The meeting was called to order by Joseph Abel, Esq., who presented the report of the Committee, which was a reply to the resolutions passed by the County Medical Society. The first resolution, relative to the employment of assistants, and entrusting the compounding of prescriptions to those only who are properly qualified, both by experience and education, was heartily endorsed. In reference to the second resolution, requesting druggists of the county to decline the sale of the articles known as patent medicines, the Committee stated that while every honorable pharmaceutist disapproves of patent medicines, he could not at present successfully carry on his business by discarding them altogether, but recommended that the assortment of these articles be restricted to the smallest possible number, and the use of all fair means to restrain their manufacture and sale. The committee further stated that druggists were willing to co-operate with physicians to have proper legislative enactment upon the subject. The third resolution, requesting them never to prescribe on their own responsibility, or refill a prescription except upon authority of the physician with whom it originated, was considered by the committee, who coincided in the first part of it. In regard to the second clause, about refilling prescriptions, the committee reported a resolution passed by the American Pharmaceutical Association which opposed the indiscriminate renewal of prescriptions, but thought restriction to a single prescription impracticable. In the matter, however, the Committee could see no reason for acting contrary to this provision, if the agreement is a general and unanimous one, and if the physicians and public are informed of such an arrangement. With regard to the resolutions passed by the Medical Society that physicians would do all they could to promote the interests of such druggists as complied with the requests in the resolution adopted by them, the Committee state that it appeared to them that this resolution meant that physicians would only patronize the experienced, competent and honorable pharmaceutist. If such was the intent the Committee was pleased and trusted the resolution might be adhered to.

The report was read and after some discussion laid over for final action until the next meeting, to be held Wednesday evening of next week, at which time a formal organization of the Association will be effected.

The meeting then adjourned.

How It Was Accomplished.

Mr. Perry C. Dean, a farmer, was swindled out of four hundred dollars yesterday in this wise: Tuesday evening, accompanied by his wife, he had taken the train at Philadelphia bound for Janesville, Wisconsin, *via* Pittsburgh. Just before the train started a genteel looking young man stepped into the car and took a seat directly in front of the pair. The train moved on and the young man's tongue commenced to move also. In a short time he had introduced himself to the twain as bound for the west, and delighted to have their company to relieve the tedium of the journey. His name was J. B. Austin, and he was extensively employed in business in Chicago. Being an exceedingly agreeable conversationalist, he succeeded in winning the confidence of his two auditors long before the train reached Pittsburgh. Just as the party were stepping off the train, at the Union Depot, stranger No. 2, merchant of Pittsburgh, stepped up and politely requested Mr. Austin to pay a little bill, amounting to several hundred dollars. Austin pulled out his pocket book, but found himself short of ready cash, having only a draft for three thousand four hundred dollars and six twenty dollar gold pieces. These were not sufficient, but after some consultation Mr. Dean, the farmer, was prevailed upon to loan his friend four hundred dollars to pay the bill, taking in exchange the draft and the gold pieces as security, both of which the supposed Pittsburgh merchant pronounced all right, but which proved to be all wrong. The farmer and his wife were next seated in the car of a westward bound train and told to remain until the return of their friend, who disappeared with his creditor for the purpose of getting the account properly squared. They waited for some time, but finally stated the circumstances to one of the officials connected with the Depot, who pronounced the affair a swindle, a fact which quickly became palpable to the minds of the victims. Fortunately, however, they were enabled to continue their journey, having purchased a through ticket before starting.

The draft was dated Chicago, Illinois, March 1, 1869, and drawn by Wm. Penford & Co., Dr. Sam. Barr, Jr., payable at the banking house of J. B. Hemey & Co., 2714 Pell street, New York. The supposed gold pieces were composed of a good quality of brass. The victim was swindled thus out of all his money except twenty dollars, just sufficient to ensure his passage to his destination. He has, now, a peculiar disregard for affable strangers.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Hampton.

WEDNESDAY, April 14.—The case of Hutchinson vs. School Directors of Indiana township, reported yesterday, is still on trial.

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101 Napier et al. vs. Darlington.

Common Pleas—Judge Sterrett.

WEDNESDAY, April 14.—Barclay vs. Davidson, action in ejectment. On trial.

Pekert vs. Wells, motion for new trial and in arrest of judgment, and reasons filed.

Jamison vs. Schott, motion for a new trial in arrest of judgment and reasons filed.

DIVISION OF ROSS TOWNSHIP.

A petition for the division of Ross township into two election precincts, signed by a large number of the citizens of said township, was presented. The petition sets forth that the convenience of the citizens would be promoted by said division.

The Court made the following order:

Precinct No. 1 beginning at a point on the dividing line between Ross and Shaler townships and the northeast corner of Reserve township as extended; thence northwardly along said division line to the division line between Ross and McCandless townships; thence westwardly along said line seven hundred and forty-five perches; thence south eleven and one-half degrees, east one hundred and thirty-nine perches to the Reserve township line as extended; thence eastwardly along said line two and three-eighth miles to the place of beginning. And the place of holding general, special and township elections in said precinct No. 1 shall be at the house of Jesse Plankinton, on the Girty's Run Road in said Election Precinct No. 1, and the following named persons are hereby appointed Judge and Inspectors of Elections for said precinct No. 1, who shall act as such until their successors are duly elected, viz: Judge—George H. Holtzman. Inspectors—Joseph Crisler and David Sterrett.

And further, the Court do order and decree that precinct No. 2 shall be and ever have the remainder of said Ross township, and further, the Court do order and decree that the place of holding general, special and township elections for said precinct No. 2, shall be at the public house of James Gorby, commonly known as Gorby's five mile house, on the Perrysville plank road in said precinct No. 2, the place where the elections in said township have heretofore been held for the said township, and that the following named persons are hereby appointed Judge and Inspectors of Elections for said precinct No. 2, until three successors are duly elected, viz: Judge, David H. Cunningham; Inspectors, George F. Quail and John Rogers.

TRIAL LIST FOR THURSDAY.

December List.

109. Robinson vs. Meyers.
92. Kramer vs. Amesburg.

January List.

1. Anderson vs. Alpert et al.
2. Auld vs. Wain.
3. Cubbs vs. Wall.
4. Fritz vs. Rushenberger.
5. Stafford et ux. vs. Kerr.
6. Skating Co. vs. Shaffer.
7. Powell vs. Little.
9. Coulter & Co. vs. Haigh.
12. Hageman vs. Kratz & Co.
14. Wilson vs. Franklin.
15. Franklin vs. Wilson.
16. Cox & Co. vs. Davidson.

Quarter Sessions—Judge Stowe.

WEDNESDAY, April 14.—Deborah Haywoth, indicted for selling liquor without license, and for selling to minors, plead guilty to both indictments. Sentence was deferred in the former case and in the latter she was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars and the costs of prosecution.

Thos. McAdams, indicted for assault, Sabena Schwartz prosecutrix, plead guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars and costs of prosecution.

Justice James Kelly, of Temperanceville, was placed on trial for misdemeanor in office in refusing a transcript to Martin Rice. Verdict not guilty and county to pay the costs.

Ortman Heffman, indicted for assault and battery, Bernard McNamee prosecutor, was placed on trial. Verdict of not guilty and the prosecutor ordered to pay the costs.

Frank Wolf, indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, was next placed on trial. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty and directed the prosecutor, Robert Wilson, to pay the costs.

G. Tobias, charged with the larceny of a ten dollar bill from John Vanhorn, was placed on trial and the jury found a verdict of not guilty.

Richard Roberts, charged with arson, in setting fire to a stable near Spencer & McKay's brewery, was put on trial and acquitted.

Chas. Burgess, charged with seducing Mary Jane Bagshaw, both of Temperanceville, was brought into Court and on motion of District Attorney Pearson, (both parties consenting) they were united in the bonds of matrimony by E. S. Morrow, Esq.

John T. Murdock, who recently plead guilty to a charge of *fornex et cet*, was sentenced to pay the sum of $25 to the prosecutrix, the costs of prosecution and the further sum of $1,50 per week for the period of four years.

More Pressure for "J. N."

"J. N.," the wisest of philosophers, the greatest champion of truth in the world, the humble, self-sacrificing martyr, on whose broad shoulders rest the terrible pressures he martyr-like assumes, was denied the privilege in this proud city, by Mayor Brush, of lifting the veil and holding counsel with the thousands of people whose burdens he assumes, thus relieving their consciences by benignantly converting himself into an object at whom a false world is quick to send its swift arrows of care and bitterness, and brand him as one guiltless of reason. The nineteenth century has contained no greater marvel than that presented by this great man in his humility, his humbleness and good-will toward all. His very name he sacrifices at the shrine of the prejudice his mighty and peculiar doctrines evoke, and as "J. N," he travels from city to city working out the grand mission he has to fulfill on this mundane sphere, where all ears are sealed in wickedness and deceit against virtue and truth. He has the press of the country chained to a stake by his marvellous philosophy, and he could, were he less charitable, crush all formalists to the earth with his intellectual force. He has brought truth to the eyes of railway officials, and by his magical powers has the freedom to go and come over nearly every road in the country, carrying light and philosophy into the dark recesses of superstition and ignorance. Great is J. N.

Amusements.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.—Miss Mary Gladstane continues her engagement at the Opera House. Last evening she appeared before a large and select audience in "Leah, the Forsaken," sustaining the principal character in a manner at once characteristic and highly pleasing to her audience. To-night she appears as "Elizabeth" in the great play of that name.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Manager C. D. Hess, of Crosby's Opera House, Chicago, who for some time past has been in Philadelphia with his entire troupe, will, on his return to Chicago, stop a week at the Academy of Music in this city, and produce in all its grandeur "The Field of the Cloth of Gold," which is admitted by the Eastern critics to be the most grand and magnificent spectacular extravaganza ever placed upon the boards. This piece has been running for over two months in Philadelphia, and was on the boards for the same length of time in Chicago. Our citizens know that whatever Mr. Hess does in the theatrical line is well done, and full houses may be anticipated. The time of the arrival of Mr. Hess and his great company has not yet been definitely arranged, but it will be at no distant day.

SHARPLEY'S MINSTRELS.—This world renowned troupe, favorites everywhere, will commence an engagement at Masonic Hall, Wednesday of next week. They come from Chicago, where they have been performing to large audiences for one hundred consecutive nights. Mr. Sam Sharpley, the marvelous wit and humorist, has control of the troupe, which explains, in a measure, the secret of its great success. The programme for their entertainments next week is entirely new, and will be found fully up to their former standard. Crowded houses, we have no doubt, will be their reward.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—Mr. Taylor continues to draw immense crowds to the Pittsburgh Theatre, and doubtless will do so until his engagement terminates. There are many other attractions, but Taylor is, of course, the chief attraction.

About Ducks.

Ducks are very useful fowls, in their way. Sometimes, however, their way leads them or their owners into trouble, as was the case yesterday. John O'Neill and Frank M'Farland occupy neighboring tenements in Ormsby borough. O'Neill has a garden plot attached to his premises, in which he takes great pride. McFarland has a lot of ducks equally dear to him. The ducks, it is alleged, have a way of entering O'Neill's garden plot, and damaging it, destroying the plants, much to the digust and irritation of the owner. O'Neill, to prevent this intrusion yesterday, spent the greater portion of the day in repairing the fence between the two premises, but, according to his statements, he had hardly finished the job before it was torn down again by McFarland and his wife, who threatened him with all kinds of bodily harm if he dared to erect it again. Fearing to proceed further without protection of the law, O'Neill came before Alderman McMasters and lodged informations for malicious mischief and surety of the peace against McFarland and his wife. Warrants were issued.

—A Vera Cruz letter of March 31st, says: A stormy session of Congress is anticipated. Belligerent rights will probably be granted to the Cubans. Very rich gold mines have been discovered near Sinaloa de Saragossa. A slight shock of an earthquake had been experienced in Jalapa.

TRUSSES AND HERNIA.

The sad and deplorable condition of many who are afflicted with hernia or rupture of the bowels, calls loudly for some efficient and unmistakable remedy that will not only in every case give efficient relief, but in many cases effect a radical and thorough cure. These cases of hernia have become so frequent, that it is computed that one-sixth of the male population are said to be troubled, in some way or another, with this terrible ailment; and in very many cases do not know where to apply for an appropriate remedy, oftentimes not knowing whether an appliance is really needed or not; and if it should be needed, they often do not know where or to whom they should make application The world is full of Trusses for the retention and cure of this lamentable evil, oftentimes an incontestable proof of their total and inadequate fitness to relieve the sufferer. This need not be; Dr. Keyser, at his new medicine store, No. 167 Liberty street, is abundantly supplied with every appliance, needful to the retention and relief of this terrible affliction, so that every one can be properly fitted at a moderate cost, with the full assurance that the appliance is the best that the mechanical department of surgery can afford. The Doctor has pursued the investigation of hernia with more than ordinary care for over thirty years, so that the afflicted can place implicit reliance on his skill and integrity with the full assurance that they will not only get the best truss, suitable to the case, but likewise a thorough and efficient knowledge of its proper application.

There are many persons who not only sacrifice their health, but even their lives, for want of a proper truss, or a truss properly applied. Strangulated and irreducable rupture, is a far more common ailment now than in former years; and may we not justly arrive at the conclusion, that its frequency is often occasioned by the neglect and carelessness of the sufferers themselves. No one would be regarded as sane or excusable who would go for a whole winter without the proper clothing to shield them from the inclemency of the weather, but, at the same time, it is thought a light affair to suffer for years with a protrusion that not only subjects the person to inconvenience, but even places life itself in jeopardy. Those of our readers who may be unfortunate to need appliances of this kind cannot act more wisely than to cut this advertisement out and preserve it, so as to enable them to retain the place where such important preservers of life and health are to be procured.

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PITTSBURGH, April 14th, 1869.

☞ **THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS** of the COLUMBIA OIL COMPANY have this day declared a

DIVIDEND No. 33

Of TWO (2) PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable MONDAY, April 19th.

ap15:b48 A. P. McGREW, Secretary.

☞ **PITTSBURGH THEATRE.**

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Ladies' Matinee on Saturday. The great TAYLOR appears.

☞ **PUBLIC MEETING.**

A meeting of the citizens of Pittsburgh, and of all persons interested in the navigation of the Western waters, will be held at WILKINS HALL, on FRIDAY MORNING, the 16th inst., at 11 o'clock, to hear report of Committee that visited Washington City, asking legislation to prevent short span bridges being built over the Ohio River. ap14:b47

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All bills against the firm will be settled, and all dues collected by J. F. Caldwell.

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY, ss.—In the Court of Common Pleas, Jane Wagner, by her next friend vs. John A. Wagner.

No. 203, March Term, 1868. Libel in Divorce.

And now, April 10th, 1869, C. SNIVELY, Esq., appointed Commissioner to take testimony in this case, and report the same to the Court.

[From the Record.]

JACOB H. WALTER, Prothonotary.

The undersigned will attend to the duties of the above appointment at the office of H. C. MACKRELL, No. 89 Grant street, on MONDAY, April 26th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

ap15:b49.THM C. SNIVELY.

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

All Stockholders, as registered on the Books of this Company on the 30th day of April 1869, will be entitled to subscribe for TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. of their respective interests in New Stock, at par, as to low:

First. Fifty per cent. at the time of subscription, between the 15th day of May, 1869, and the 30th day or June, 1869.

Second. Fifty per cent. between the 15th day of November, 1869, and the 31st day of December, 1869; or, if Stockholders should prefer, the whole amount may be paid up at the time of subscription, and each instalment so paid up shall be entitled to a pro rata of the Dividend that may be declared on full shares.

Third. That every Stockholder holding less than four shares, shall be entitled to subscribe for one share, and those holding more than a multiple of four shares shall be entitled to subscribe for an additional share.

Fourth. All shares upon which instalments are yet to be paid under Resolution of May 13, 1868, will be entitled to their allotment of the Twenty-five per cent. at par, as though they were paid in full.

ap15:146 THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.

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Wm. Clinton, tavern, 1st ward;
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Ann Lawrence, tavern, 1st ward;
John Roth, eating house, 1st ward;
Roedelh'm & Affelder, other goods, 1st ward;
F. Evert & Co., other goods, 1st ward;
Jas. McKee, tavern, 2d ward;
Jas. D. Duncan, tavern, 2d ward;
Westley Kerr, tavern, 2d ward;
Chas. Fischer, tavern, 2d ward;
Burns & Quinn, tavern, 3d ward;
W. H. Stroup, tavern, 3d ward;
Daml. Haggrity, tavern, 3d ward;
John Klessner, tavern, 3d ward;
John Engel, tavern, 3d ward;
Saml. S. Sackett, eating house, 3d ward;
Wm. Burns, eating house, 3d ward;
R. Robinson, tavern, 4th ward;
F. Kellerman, tavern, 4th ward;
A. Glockner, other goods, 4th ward;
John Magee, tavern, 5th ward;
John McMahon, tavern, 5th ward;
Daml. Strain, eating house, 5th ward;
E. Fink, other goods, 5th ward;
S. Goldstein, other goods, 5th ward;
M. Richards, tavern, 6th ward;
John M. Robitzer, tavern, 6th ward;
Chas. Boyle, tavern, 7th ward;
M. Kirk, other goods, 7th ward;
L. Wolf, other goods, 7th ward;
H. Thomas, tavern, 8th ward;
A. Shulehan, tavern, 8th ward;
G. Stickenger, tavern, 8th ward;
L. Berkowitz, other goods, 8th ward;
E. J. Unger, tavern, 9th ward;
John O'Donnell, tavern, 9th ward;
E. Barker, tavern, 9th ward;
G. W. Rush, tavern, 9th ward;
Cath. Sawders, tavern, 10th ward;
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W. L. Argeo, tavern, 11th ward;
F. Sieberty, other goods, 11th ward;
M. Shea, tavern, 12th ward;
C. Edwards, tavern, 14th ward;
M. Hutchinson, tavern, 12th ward;
John Volcller, tavern, 12th ward;
L. Zimmer, tavern, 14th ward;
Jas. Scott, tavern, 13th ward;
Pat. Logan, eating house, 12th ward;
Ellen Thomas, tavern, 14th ward;
Henry Ales, other goods, 14th ward;
Jac. Weigel, tavern, 15th ward;
Thos. Barton, tavern, 17th ward;
Rosa Hacek, tavern, 17th ward;
Jac Beisel, tavern, 19th ward;
Martin Flatty, tavern, 23d ward;

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M. Fisher tavern, 1st ward;
Jas. Hays, other goods, 1st ward;
Jas. McAllister, tavern, 2d ward;
E. O'Neill, other goods, 2d ward;
John Horn, tavern, 3d ward;
J. M. Geng, tavern, 3d ward;
Dennis Ling, tavern, 3d ward;
L. Mittenberger, eating house, 3d ward;
J. J. Wacker, tavern, 3d ward;
J. J. Weiss, tavern, 3d ward;
J. P. Wacker, tavern, 4th ward;
P. Fetherson, eating house, 4th ward;
W. Sadden, other goods, 4th ward;
W. McKain, tavern, 5th ward;
V. Short, Jr., tavern, 5th ward;
Jos. Lodnk, tavern, 7th ward;
Phil. Gerst, tavern, 7th ward;
Nich. Rufer, tavern, 7th ward;
Christ. Grosbaugh, tavern, 7th ward;
J. Sminglinger, eating house, 7th ward;
Chas. Gettman, eating house, 7th ward;
Geo. Schmidt, eating house, 8th ward.

Boroughs.

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Peter Koenig, tavern, Birmingham;
Jno. Locklinger, tavern, Birmingham;
Domecle Squire, tavern, Birmingham;
Geo. Nau, tavern, Birmingham;
Jno. E. Young, tavern, Birmingham;
J. Rall, tavern, Birmingham;
Jno. Nusser, tavern, Birmingham;
Wm. Hollet eating house, Birmingham;
Wm. Ruhe, other goods, Birmingham;
L. Isles, tavern, East Birmingham;
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Jas. McGregan, eating house, South Fayette;
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Thos. Hulings, tavern, Indiana;
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J. Horn, tavern, Reserve;
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Louis Hara, tavern, Scott;
C. Heber tavern, Shaler;
M. Beltzhoover, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
M. McGuire, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
R. Leonard, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
M. Alt, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
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ap15 JOHN G. BROWN, Clerk.

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W. D. of Pennsylvania,
PITTSBURGH, April 3d, 1869.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that on the 3d day of April, A. D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the

ESTATE OF HUGH B. MURPHY,

Of Allegheny city, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 116 Federal street, Allegheny city, Allegheny county, Pa., before JOHN N. PURVIANCE, Esq., Register, on the 7th day of MAY, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

THOMAS A. ROWLEY,
ap1:g85 U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.—Whereas, letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of GEORGE GSCHWENDER, late of Allegheny Co., all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them, properly authenticated, without delay, to

ROSA GSCHWENDER,
mh11:f-2-TH 524 Penn street.

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NOTICES.

☞ **MERCANTILE LIBRARY** HALL COMPANY.—The Fourth Instalment, $2 per share, on the Capital Stock is now due, payable at the Banking House of N. HOLMES & SONS.

Certificates of stock are now ready to be issued to all subscribers paying up in full.

JAMES H. WRIGHT,
Treasurer.

PITTSBURGH, April 9, 1869. ap14

☞ **THE FEDERAL OIL COMPANY.**—A stockholders' meeting will be held on the 15th DAY OF APRIL, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of A. A. MILLS, 7 Duquesne Way, near Ninth street, Pittsburgh, for the purpose of taking action for the dissolution of the Company. A full attendance is requested. By order of the Board.

C. L. GOEHRING, Pres't.

BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
March 22, 1869.

☞ **A GENERAL MEETING OF** the Stockholders of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on THURSDAY, the 22d day of April proximo, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering the expediency of accepting the recent act of the Legislature renewing the Charter of the Bank.

mh25:g20:TH WM. ROSEBURG, Cashier.

☞ **NOTICE.—At a Meeting of** the Directors of the

EWALT STREET BRIDGE CO.,

On April 3d, an assessment of $5.00 per share on the Capital Stock was made. Payment is requested on or before the 24th of April, at the office of CHRIS. SIEBERT,
ap6 h1 406 Penn street.

☞ **TO CARPENTERS AND** BUILDERS.—Sealed proposals for the erection of

TWO STATION HOUSES,

For City of Pittsburgh, one to be erected in Twelfth and one in Seventeenth Ward of said city, will be received at the Hardware Store of J. & G. PEARSON, No. 47 Diamond street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, where Plans and Specifications can be seen. All proposals to be in by 1 o'clock, April 17th, 1869.

By order of Committee,

JOHN H. HARE,
JOS. MARSHALL,
ap5 GEO. R. PEARSON.

☞ **TO CONTRACTORS.**

Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad.

Proposals will be received up to SATURDAY, May 1st, inclusive, for the

GRADUATION, MASONRY AND BALLASTING

Of the remaining 47 Sections of this Road, situated at intervals upon the 96 miles between Connellsville and Cumberland.

Specifications will be ready for distribution at the Pittsburgh and Cumberland Offices, on FRIDAY, the 9th of April, and all information necessary for the proper examination of the work will be afforded by the Engineer upon the line.

By order of the President and Directors.

BENJ. H. LATROBE,
Chief Engineer.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE R. R. Co.,
Pittsburgh, March 18th, 1869.
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REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.

J. M. GAZZAM,

Attorney-at-Law, has removed his office to No.

95 FIFTH AVENUE. ap14:b39

REMOVAL.

LOCKHART & CO.,

Manufacturers of Lightning Rods,

HAVE REMOVED TO

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No. 22 Fifth Avenue.

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REMOVAL.

W. P. PRICE,

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT, has removed to No. 21 (South side) DIAMOND, east of Federal street, Allegheny City. ap3:g77

REMOVAL.

W. C. ARMSTRONG,

(Successor to Fetzer & Armstrong,) has removed to No. 25 MARKET STREET, a few doors above the old stand. ap9 h19

REMOVAL.—B. McLain & Co., Dealers in Real Estate Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages and other securities, have removed to their new Office, 104 Fourth avenue, Paulson's new Building. Any parties desiring to buy or sell Real Estate of any kind, Stocks or Bonds and Mortgages will do well to give them a call. mh27

JOSEPH TORRENS,

MANUFACTURER OF

WINDOW GLASS.

Warehouse—No. 27 WOOD STREET,
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ACADEMY OF SCIENCE. 101 Federal Street, Allegheny, (Savings Bank Building.) Spring term begins

MONDAY, APRIL 5th, 1869.

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h30 REV. ROBB. A. M., Prin.

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts will be settled by W. C. ARMSTRONG, who continues the business at No. 25 Market street. M. J. FETZER,
ap9:h39 W. C. ARMSTRONG.

☞ *NOTICES—"To Let," "For Sale," "Lost," "Wants," "Found," "Boarding," &c., not exceeding FOUR LINES each will be inserted in these columns once for TWENTY-FIVE CENTS; each additional line FIVE CENTS.*

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, April 14, 1869.

Gold opened weak at 133¾, became very firm and advanced to 133, from which it declined to 132¾, and closed quiet at 132⅝. The cause of the decline was the rumor that besides the one and half million dollars of gold, arrived yesday, another lot of four millions were on the way here. Large sales were made in anticipation of a heavy decline, but the small stock now on the market for ordinary transactions made the loaning rate for gold so high that it would be preferable to buy instead of submitting to the onerous charges.

Government bonds were firm early in the day without any activity, but on the rise in gold the market became strong, and advanced one-fourth per cent., but at the close the market was off again.

The Stock market is strong, but the changes are unimportant. Fort Wayne, Cleveland and Pittsburgh and Rock Island are the strongest stocks on the list. Just as soon as the money market can be supplied with money at seven per cent. currency rate, a sharp upward movement is likely to begin, and stocks that may appear to be high now, may then be considered cheap. The increasing earnings of nearly all the Railroads has enhanced the value of Railroad shares to such an extent, that all dividend paying stocks now selling at or near par will be brought up for permanent investment.

Business dull. Money at twelve per cent.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 132¾; Silver, 125; Eighty-one's, 116½; Five Twenties, 1862, 121⅜; do 1864, 115½; do 1865, 117⅜; do 1865, Consols, 114; do 1867, ——; do 1868, ——; Ten Forties, 105¾; New York Central, 63¼; Erie, —; Reading, 93⅛; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 103¾; Ohio & Mississippi, 32⅞; Michigan Southern, 97¾; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 97¾; Chicago & Rock Island, 133¼; Chicago & North-Western, 83½; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 95¾; Adams Express Company, 58¾; Merchants Union Express, 15; Pacific Mail, 92¾; Western Union Telegraph Company, 41¼; Gregory, 3,20; Quartz Hill, 1,55; Corydon, —; Smith & Parmlee, 3,00; W. Am. Express 40.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 14, 1869.

Money was in moderate demand during the morning, at coin interest on Government Bonds, and 7 per cent currency, with commission 1-32 per cent. on stocks. In the afternon the market, as yesterday, worked easier and before 3 o'clock capital was plenty, at 7 per cent. Some of the banks report increased receipts of currency from the interior. Some uneasiness has been caused by reports that the District Attorney is gathering evidence concerning the loans made above legal rate, with a view of enforcing the provisions of the usury law. Commercial Paper is dull at 10@13⅓ per cent. Sterling strong under the easing in money, and cash gold, prime bankers at 7¾@7⅞ per cent. for 60 days, and 8⅛@8¾ for sight. Gold firmer; opened at 1,32⅜, advanced to 1,33⅛ and closed at 1,32¾. The Java brought 82,000 lbs; rates paid for carrying were 7 per cent. down to 2 per cent. to flat.

Governments strong and higher, with 62s and 67s as the features. Coupons of '81, 116⅛@116¾; do. '62, 120⅛@120¾; do. '64, 117⅜@117⅛; do. '65, 117⅛@117¾; new do., 114¼@114¼; do. '67, 114⅛@114¼; do. '68, 114@114⅛; 10-40s, 105⅛@105¾.

State bonds dull: Missouris, 86½; New Tennessees, 65¾@66; North Carolinas, 54¾@55.

The Stock market during this morning was dull, but generally steady. New York Central and Rock Island were exceptions and showed an unusual activity, the former fluctuating between 163 and 164½, while the latter was very strong on renewed reports of scrip dividend. In the afternoon the market was somewhat irregular with wide fluctuations in stocks. The features on the "bull" side were an advance of Rock Island to 134, Fort Wayne to 131½, Wabash to 169¾, and Mariposa preferred to 138⅛. The principal change on the "bear" side was a fall of New York Central to 162½, with an intense pressure to sell. A report was current that the fate of the bill to legalize the 80 per cent. certificates has been interwoven with the Broadway Railroad bill in the Senate and that both are likely to fail. The market generally left off dull and heavy.

Five-thirty Prices—Cumberland, 29@32½; Wells Express, 30¾@31; American, 40@40½; Adams, 59@59¼; Merchants Union, 15@16; United States, 58½@60; Quicksilver, 21½@22; Canton, 59⅛@60; Pacific Mail, 92½@92⅝; Western Union Telegraph, 41¼; New York Central, 162¼@162⅝; Hudson River, 145¼@145¼; Harlem, 137@137½; Hartford and Erie, 24@25; Mariposa, 19⅛@19⅜; preferred, 38@38¼; Reading, 92¾@92⅞; Chicago and Alton, 153½; Terre Haute, 37@39; do. preferred, 67@69; Wabash, 67@67¾; do. preferred, 77@77½; St. Paul, 77¼@77⅝; do. preferred, 84¼@84½; Fort Wayne, 130½@131¾; Ohio & Mississippi, 32¾@32⅞; Michigan Central, 119@120; Michigan Southern, 97¾@98; Illinois Central, 138¾@140; Pittsburgh, 90½@90⅝; Toledo, 97¾@98; Lake Shore, 97¾@98; Rock Island, 133¾@133⅞; Northwestern, 83¼@83¾; do. preferred, 95@95¼; Marietta, 2d preferred, 8½; Sioux City, 116; C. C. & I. C., 39½; St. Joseph, 114; C., C., C. and I., 70.

Mining shares dull.

Copper stocks at Boston: Copper Falls, 8½; Franklin, 16½; Hancock, 4; Quincy, 22: Minnesota 2.

Receipts of the Sub-Treasury were $630,345; payments, $566,439; balance, $89,921,871.

Clearances at Gold Exchange Bank, $75,000,000.

Exports for the week, except specie, $3,617,388.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PENN'A CENTRAL STOCK YARDS, WEDNESDAY, April 14, 1869.

CATTLE—The market has been moderately active thus far this week, all the good cattle on sale having been taken at about last week's prices. As a general thing, however, shippers want concessions, alleging that it is a very risky business just now to buy cattle for shipment, as the eastern markets are very unreliable, and that they ought to have some little show to get out with a whole skin, even if they do not make anything. It is generally conceded that there is but little chance for stock men to make anything, as the margins are whittled down to such a close point that it involves too much risk; if everything goes right and they are so fortunate as to strike a good market, they may possibly make a little money, but the chances are just as good, and a little better, for losing.

Compared with last week, prices have undergone no quotable change. Prime to extra smooth shipping steers may be quoted at 8@8¼, and medium do. at 7@7¾.

WEDNESDAY, April 7.—Pletcher to Beach & Bray 14 weighing 17,925.

THURSDAY, April 8.—Holmes, Lafferty & Co. for Head to Kelly 17 weighing 20,000; at 7¼; same for Brown to Kelly 30 weighing 40,325, at 6¾; same for same to same 15 cows weighing 16,875, at 7⅛; same for Bash to Beach & Bray 15 weighing 16,325, and 2 bulls: same for Webb to Gillett & Co. 14 weighing 19,000; same for same to same 32 weighing 39,225.

FRIDAY, April 9.—Holmes, Lafferty & Co. for Doud to Gillett & Co. 28 weighing 36,675, at 8¼; same for same to Martin 31 weighing 39,325, at 7¾; Evert to Donald 32 weighing 40,250, at 7¾.

MONDAY, April 12.—Heskett to Beach & Bray 31 weighing 40,000; at 7¾; Beckett to Klemen 15 weighing 15,825, at 5¼.

TUESDAY, April 13.—Dolan to Gillett & Co. 32 weighing 38,525, at 7,70; Holmes Lafferty & Co for Quick to Beach & Bray 30 weighing 43,125, at 8¾; same for Blair to Aull & Co. 6 weighing 8,075, at 7½; Smith & Blue for Hogle to Gillett & Co. 17 weighing 22,000, at 8; Aull to Mosles 11 weighing 11,700; Bradley & Bro. to Gillett & Co. 67 weighing 75,335, at 7; Smith & Blue for Hoagland to Fritz 33 weighing 42,350, at 8.

WEDNESDAY, April 14.—Holmes, Lafferty & Co. for Holmes & Pfieffer to Roth 18 weighing 19,500, at 6,65; Smith & Blue for Hogle to Roth 16 weighing 18,125, at 8,00.

SHEEP—The Sheep market is fairly active, and there is a firmer feeling than prevailed a week ago, which is in consequence of diminished arrivals, and, if anything, a slightly improved demand. We can report sales of clipped, at 4½@6¾, and wooled sheep at 6@7¾, according to quality and condition.

Ensign Newton sold a drove of fancy sheep, fed by him in Mahoning Co. Ohio, and averaging 140⅓ lbs, to M C Hendrickson, at 9—considered the best drove of sheep ever brought to this market. It being feared that they would not carry to New York with safety, Mr. Hendrickson re-sold them to Hugh Richardson, the well-known butcher, at a profit of $30.

HOGS—The Hog market is stronger than last week, and prices from a quarter to a half a cent higher. We now quote Philadelphia Hogs at 11½@11¾, and Yorkers at 10@10½. The receipts although only moderate, keep up pretty well with the demand, as buyers generally, both here and in the east, do not take hold very freely at the prices.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, April 14, 1869.

The oil market continues exceedingly quiet and a little weak, though prices are without quotable change. There seems to be little or no demand either for present or future delivery, and it is as just as true, that the offerings are light, though, if anything, the pressure to sell is stronger than that to buy. Situated as the market now is, there is not much chance for business, as it is narrowed down to such a fine point, that there is no margin to either refiner or crude dealer, and there must of necessity be a change, one way or the other, before there will be an improvement. Crude is too nigh for Refined, and until the one declines or the other advances, the refiner can do nothing, as there is no margin in manufacturing; and those of our refiners having contracts out will probably buy to cover, as they can do so to better advantage than in manufacturing it. There is still another obstacle in the way, oil is relatively higher at Oil City than here.

CRUDE—The Crude market continues dull and devoid of anything that is new or important, with the exception, perhaps, that the feeling is weaker. Spot oil is still held at 15, with no buyers above 14¾, and not many at that; seller till July is still quoted at 15, and no buyers. Sale of 1,000 each May and June at 15½, which indicates a decline of half a cent, as the last sale reported for these months was at 16.

REFINED—The Refined market, also continues dull and weak, and while some deliveries are a shade lower, as a general thing there is no important change in prices. Sale of 500 each April to June at 33· Quotations—April, last half, 31¾; May and June, 33½; April to June, 33; April to September, 35; May to Septembea, 35½; and June to December, 36.

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Citizens Refining Co. 517 bbls to Tack, Bro. & Co., Philadelphia.

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D. Bly, 25 bbls tar and 25 bbls refined oil to C. B. Hubley & Co., Philadelphia.

John L. Moorhouse 12 bbls lubricating oil to Wallace, Curtis & Co., Phila.

H. W. C. Tweddle, 11 bbls lubricating oil to Mr. R. Gengs, Philadelphia.

Duncan & Williams, 53 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Union Refining Co., 450 W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined..... 528

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How Pins are Made.

The pin machine is one of the closest approaches that mechanics have made to the dexterity of the human hand. A small machine, about the height and size of a lady's sewing machine, only much stronger, stands before you. On the back side a light belt descends from the long shaft at the ceiling that drives all the machines, ranged in rows on the floor. On the left side of our machine hangs, on a peg, a small reel of wire, that has been straighted by running through a compound system of small rollers. The wire descends and the end of it enters the machine. This is the food consumed by this snappish, voracious little dwarf. He pulls it in and bites it off by inches incessantly, one hundred and forty bites to the minute. Just as he seizec each bite, a saucy little hammer, with a concave face, hits the end of the wire three taps and "upsets" it to a head, while he gripes it in a counter-sunk hole between his teeth. With an outward thrust of his tongue he then lays the pin sidewise in a little groove across the rim of a small wheel that slowly revolves just under his nose. By the external pressure of a stationary hoop these pins rolls in their places, as they are carried under two series of small files, three in each. These files grow finer toward the end of the series. They lie at a slight inclination on the pins, and by a series of cams, levers and springs, are made to play like lightning. Thus the pins are dropped in a little shower into a box. Twenty-eight pounds are a day's work for one of these little automatons. Forty machines on this floor make five hundred and sixty pounds of pins daily. These are then polished. Two very intelligent machines reject every crooked pin, even the slightest irregularity of form being detected. Another automaton assort half a dozen lengths in as many boxes, all at once, and unerringly, when a careless operator has mixed the contents of boxes from various machines. Lastly, a perfect genius of a machine hangs the pins by the head in an inclined platform through as many slots as there are pins in a row on the papers. These slots converge into the exact space spanning the length of a row. Under them runs the strip of pin paper. A barb-like part of the machine catches one pin from each of the slots as it falls, and by one movement sticks them all through the corrugated ridges in the paper, from which they are to be picked by taper fingers in boudoirs and all sorts of human circumstances.

Quick Fermentation Whisky.

In computing the capacity of a distillery to produce whisky the law allows the distillers seventy-two hours for fermentation of their "mashes."

A recent German invention, which the distillers are using, produces fermentation in twenty-four hours. By means of this quick fermentation a distillery which uses the common process can turn out thrice the amount of liquor the Government gives it credit for. Distillers are supposed to put their "mash" through a slow and even fementation of half a week, and upon the supposed yield are taxed eighty per cent., and as much more as the vigilance and integrity of a rotten, bribed Revenue Inspector or Gauger reports. But by cramming into their vats enormous amounts of yeast they produce a fermentation in a single day, and thus make three times the quantity of liquor which the stupid statute supposes they produce. Thus, suppose a "mash" produces three hundred gallons once in three days, or six hundred gallons per week, the Government charges sixty-three cents on eighty per cent. of this quantity, and receives $302 on four hundred and eighty gallons; whereas, the real production of the establishment is one thousand eight hundred gallons, and the Government is swindled out of its tax on one thousand three hundred and twenty gallons per week. By this means the distiller keeps his books "straight," settles with the Revenue Inspector, who doesn't "see" anything but slow fermentation going on, and pockets the proceeds of the sale of the untaxed whisky—less what he divides with the inspector.

Edge Tools.

All cutting and piercing edge tools operate on the principle of the wedge. A brad awl furnishes an example which all can readily understand. The cutting edge of the awl severs the fibres of wood as the instrument enters, and the particles are compressed into a smaller compass, in the same manner as when a piece of wood is separated by a wedge. A chisel is a wedge in one sense; and an axe, drawing knife, or jack-knife is also a wedge. When a keen-edged razor is made to clip a hair or to remove a man's beard, it operates on the principle of a wedge.

Every intelligent mechanic understands that when a wedge is dressed out smoothly, it may be driven in with much less force than if its surface was left jagged and rough. The same idea holds good with respect to edge-tools. If the cutting edge be ground and whet to as fine an edge as may be practicable with a fine-gritted whet stone, and if the surface back of the cutting edge be ground smooth and true, and polished neatly, so that one can discern the color of his eyes by means of the polished surface, the tool will enter whatever is to be cut by the application of much less force than if the surfaces were left as rough as they usually are when the tools leave the grindstone. All edged tools, such as axes, chisels and planes, that are operated with a crushing instead of a drawing stroke, should be polished neatly clear to the cutting edge, to facilitate their entrance into the substance to be cut.—*Manufacturer and Builder.*

Medicinal Properties of Celery.

I have known as many men and women, too, who, from various causes had become so much affected with nervousness that when they stretched out their hands they shook like aspen leaves on windy days—and by a daily moderate use of the blanched foot stalks of celery leaves as a salad they became as strong and steady in limbs as other people.

I have known others so very nervous that the least annoyance put them in a state of agitation, and they were almost in constant perplexity and fear, who were also effectually cured by a daily moderate use of blanched celery as a salad at meal times. I have known others cured by using celery for palpitation of the heart. Every body engaged in labor weakening to the nerves should use celery daily in season, and onions in its stead when not in season.—*Cor. Prac. Farmer.*

Sauces and Condiments.

The following is from Baron Leibig's article in *Every Saturday:*

Soup, bread, vegetables, puddings, ham, cheese, &c., are component parts of our meals; and all these different victuals lose something of their nutritive value because of the absence of the nutritive salts. Bread, for example, will on that account not be thoroughly digested; it produces the most excrement; and thus all the above named sorts of food leave a residue, which burdens the intestines and produces a sickly state, just as if to the perfectly digestible elements of any sort of food, a portion of something indigestible or useless is cooked up with it. The experienced cook endeavors to amend this defective quality by his sauces and condiments; and he employs for the purpose, besides kitchen herbs, an extract he has in store prepared from broken bones, odds and ends of meat, &c.; but as these latter contain generally but very little muscular flesh, this stock made by the cook is always poor in the nutritive salts, but all the richer in glue, which contributes nothing to nourishment or the improvement of food.

A perfect compensation is only to be obtained by using a concentrated meat broth, which of all similar preparations abounds most in nutritive salts. The delicate, full flavor which the food acquires by it shows the cook that in this way he most easily obtains what was wanted; and he who tastes the dish experiences by his digestion if the cookery were good or not. A dish well prepared is distinguished from one badly cooked by being more easily digestible, and this depends on its mixture, the time occupied in digestion, and on its solubility and divisibility in the stomach. The latter—which is important, but is not the chief thing—is what the inexperienced cook most cares for; he deceives our taste by unfitting spices, and so spoils the best materials. Simple dishes, well prepared, are what the epicure values most.

The fungi used by the cook in his sauces—truffles, mushrooms, &c.—contain, wonderful to say, the same nutritive salts, and also in nearly the same proportion, as meat; and in taste, fungous broth greatly resembles meat broth. A closer examination of these might lead to interesting results. In Siberia, even toadstools, in spite of their poison, are not duspised.

THE *Atlantic Monthly* article for April on traveling to the far West by the Pacific Railroad, thus celebrates the now old West:

"Humboldt, in one of his solemn sentences prescribes three requisites for travel in new regions: 1. Serenity of mind; 2. Passionate love for some class of scientific labor; 3. A pure feeling for the enjoyment which nature, in her freedom, is ready to impart. These are all very desirable—at least one is indispensable—but my companions may swap off the other two for a well-filled purse and a good set of flannels. We may be as serene and scientific and sentimental as the old German traveler himself; but without these other possessions we cannot go far or be very comfortable.

Then we must be liberal as to time, too; the average American can see Europe in thirty days, I know; but this is a bigger job. True, with that limit he can be carried from Boston to San Francisco in ten days—allowing for a night or two in bed, and one or two failures to connect at that—and back in the same time, and have a third ten days to look about him in the mountains, in Utah and "Friscoe;" and this is better than nothing, of course; but still, comparing what he really does, before and after such a trip, he will be immensely more ignorant when he returns than he was at starting. I cannot tolerate the idea of less than sixty days; and we shall find three months devoted to the journey, the busiest and best spent in our lives. That is as little time as any one proposing really to see our interior and Pacific States should allow himself to take for the purpose. So make a ninety-day note for your expenses—well, say $500 a month—the average *Atlantic* reader will hardly get off with less—and leave a good indorser for any little contingency of delay, such as a pressing invitation to visit a "friendly" Indian village, or a long call from those persuasive gentlemen of the interior basin, "the road agents." We may as well count railroad travel at five cents a mile, and stage at twenty cents, and board and lodging, whether with Pullman or at the hotels, at five dollars a day. Extras and contingenciss will need all these allowances have to spare—if they have any.

A CURIOUS STORY is told of the wreck of the British ship "Lutine," which foundered off the sand-banks on the coast of Holland in 1799, with an immense amount of specie on board. She had £1,500,000 of subsidiary money for the English troops then serving under the Prince of Holland. She had also on board assignments of specie for merchants and bankers at Hamburg, and the Crown jewels of Holland, which had been reset in England. The "Lutine" encountered a fearful storm, and foundered, with the loss of all hands. One man was picked up, but survived only a few hours. The Dutch Government offered £8,000 for the recovery of the jewels, and a company was formed in England to search for the treasure, which had been hidden by the shifting sand. They soon recovered about £160,000, of which the Dutch Government claimed £80,000 as royalty. Subsequently the sand buried the wreck and stopped operation. Since then other companies have been formed, but have successively failed, though £60,000 more was recovered at intervals. The bulk of the treasure still remains in the keel of the ship, which lies embedded in sand. It is proposed to endeavor to regain it, and Lloyds, it is said, intend to apply to Parliament for the necessary powers. The Dutch Government have resigned all claim to the wreck, and it is thought the best plan will be to construct large iron caissons.

IN HIS CHARGE to the Grand Jury of Philadelphia, the other day, Judge Brewster employed some very plain language. Said he: "It has come to pass, gentlemen, that men are shot down or stoned to death upon our highways, and that the law seems as powerless for their vindication as it was for their protection. Grand Juries hesitate to find true bills, and Petit Juries of late refuse to convict except of inferior grades, frequently coupling those verdicts with recommendations to mercy, and even in an occasional case of great atrocity, when conviction is followed by a sentence of death, the Executive is besieged for a pardon. It is owing to these efforts to thwart justice that it has come to pass in Philadelphia, that it is more dangerous for a man to pick a pocket than to take a life. The thief is much more certain of being punished than the murderer. This will continue until public opinion undergoes a change."

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Will be sold on the premises, the property on the northwest corner of Ohio avenue and Bidwell street. The lot is 24 by 130 feet. The House is a two story brick of 5 rooms, in good condition. The location is very desirable, being on the corner of two main thoroughfares, traversed by the street cars. Could be easily converted into a good business stand. Terms at sale. Possession given on acceptance of the deed. For key to inspect premises apply to

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NOTICE TO

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, April 14th, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M., on WEDNESDAY, 21st inst., for GRADING and PAVING the following Avenues, Streets and Alleys, viz.:

WESTERN AVENUE, from its intersection with Rebecca street, eastwardly.

SAWMILL ALLEY, eastwardly of Coke Ovens in 8th ward.

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Profiles, Estimates, &c., can be seen in the office of CHARLES DAVIS, Esq., City Engineer. Blanks for bidders will be furnished at this office.

R. B. FRANCIS,

ap14:h44 City Controller.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, April 6, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED PROPOSALS for rebuilding TRY STREET SEWER, north of the Connellsville Railroad track, and for Grading, Paving and Curbing the following streets, viz.:

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ONE on Pearl and Cedar streets, from Main to Laurel street, 16th ward, and

ONE on Broad street, from Highland avenue to the Frankstown Road, 19th ward.

Will be received at THIS OFFICE until 4 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, April 15th, 1869.

All bids to be acted on by the Committee must be left at THIS OFFICE before the time above mentioned.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. MOORE,

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COURT HOUSE AND JAIL IMPROVEMENTS.—STONE WORK.—Proposals will be received for Stone Work of Court House and Jail Improvements until

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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished in the city the six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $8 *per annum:* 3 *mos.,* $2.

Committed.—Alderman Shore, yesterday, committed to the county jail, Margaret Catlin, charged on oath of Mary Haris with assault and battery.

Returned Home.—Our friend Mr. Geo. D. Riddle, Secretary of the Ben. Franklin Insurance Company, of Allegheny, has returned from a tour through the South.

Malicious Mischief.—Lewis Moore was committed to jail, yesterday, by Alderman Lindsay, for a hearing on a charge of malicious mischief preferred against him by Thomas Wright.

Police Appointment.—Lieutenant Jas. Woolridge, late of the Mayor's police, has been appointed special policeman at the Union Depot, to fill the vacancy caused by the transferring of officer Wilson to the Western Pennsylvania Depot in Allegheny.

Jumped the Track.—A locomotive attached to a train of freight cars, while rounding the curve in front of the elevator on Liberty street, yesterday afternoon, jumped the track, but was replaced after half an hours' work. No damage resulted.

Severely Crushed.—Yesterday morning an old lady, while engaged in picking up coal between the tracks of the coal railroad, near Denman street, Birmingham, was caught between two cars and had both arms broken, besides suffering other injuries, which it is feared may prove fatal.

Gas Jokes.—A man yesterday surprised the clerks in the Gas Company's office by producing a bag and asking for a half bushel of gas. A woman a short time ago exhibited equal stupidity, offering a tin bucket to hold it and asking a pint of gas, as she had been told it was cheaper than oil.

Knocked Down.—Wm. Campbell, a lame man, alleges that Henry Kell committed an assault and battery upon him by knocking him down twice. The row occurred at Oakland, on the Panhandle Railroad. The accused was arrested on a warrant issued by Alderman M'Masters, and gave bail for a hearing.

Plead Guilty.—The remaing parties implicated in striking false alarms in Allegheny, waived a hearing yesterday afternoon and plead guilty. The Mayor imposed a fine of $50 upon each, which was paid and the parties discharged. This will probably put an end to the practice at least for a time.

Aggravated Assault and Battery.—Frank McDevitt made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging Miles Ward with aggravated assault and battery. He alleges that the accused drove a horse and cart over his daughter, injuring her severely. Ward was arrested and held for a hearing.

Another Found.—Wednesday last the body of Mr. Williams, one of the five persons drowned in the Upper Monongahela river in February last, was found. There still remains one more body to recover, that of Mr. Harvey, which will complete the fatal list. Mr. Williams' remains were interred at Monongahela City the Friday following their discovery.

Roof on Fire.—Yesterday morning at half-past nine o'clock, the roof of a dwelling occupied by Mrs. McCarthy, on Etna street, opposite Zug's rolling mill, caught fire from sparks falling upon it. An alarm was sounded from box 46, in the vicinity, which brought the engines of the Third District out. The fire was extinguished before any material damage was done.

Alleged Larceny of a Note.—Melvina Kiefer made information before Alderman M'Masters, yesterday, against Mary Keifer for larceny. The parties are relatives. Melvina alleges Mary borrowed one hundred and thirteen dollars from her, giving a promissory note for the same, which she afterwards carried off from Melvina's home at Hatfield. A warrant for the arrest of the accused was issued.

Dissolving Views.—Parties who desire to attend a very interesting entertainment will see by a card in another column that the celebrated Oxy-Hydro Stereopticon, (which created such a sensation when last exhibited) will be again shown this evening, in the North Avenue Methodist Church, Allegheny City. The views are very beautiful, and with the additional charm of singing by the children of the Sabbath School, we are certain those who attend will be pleased.

Cross Suits.—Jacob Sweeny, it appears, hired a horse and buggy from W. H. McClurg yesterday, and instead of using them properly, it is alleged by the proprietor that he abused the horse shamefully. When he returned Mr. McClurg, he alleges, knocked him down. Sweeny made information before the Mayor charging McClurg with assault and battery, and Mr. McClurg in turn made information charging him with malicious mischief. A compromise was effected.

The Prodigal's Return.—Ellen Fair made information before Alderman Lynch yesterday, charging her husband, Frederick Fair, with desertion and abandonment. After considerable search the officer secured Frederick and brought him to the Alderman's office, where his Ellen fair awaited him. The breach was finally healed and the difficulty settled by Frederick returning home, and promising future good behaviour. The parties left the office lovingly arm in arm, for their residence on Webster street.

Chief of Police.—Robert Hague, the veteran detective and ex-Chief of Police, has received the appointment of Chief of Police, vice Joseph A. Butler, resigned, and will enter upon the duties of the office this morning. Mr. Hague's abilities to fill the position are beyond question, and his many good qualities are so well known in this community that it is unnecessary for us to refer to them. "Bob" will do his duty, and do it well, and we feel confident that his wisdom and experience in the police business will add materially to the effectiveness of the force.

Three Men Injured.

Tuesday afternoon William McEvoy, Jas. Burchell and John Mullen were on a train loaded with gravel on the Connellsville Railroad near Saltzburg, when the train was thrown from the track. The force of the concussion pitched the men violently to the ground, resulting in the serious injury of all of them. McEvoy had his arm broken and is it is feared injured internally. Burchell's right leg was broken above the knee, and Mullen was gashed in a number of places, his scalp being almost torn from his head. The men were brought to the city and received medical attention from Dr. Phillips.

DESTRUCTIVE CONFLAGRATION.

Burning of Forsythe Bros', Oil Refinery —$200,000 worth of Property Destroyed—The Flames Still Raging—Several Persons Severely Burned.

One of the most disastrous conflagration that has taken place in the city for several months, occurred at the extensive oil works of Forsythe Bros', on the Sharpsburg road, in the Eighteenth ward yesterday.

About half past ten o'clock yesterday morning, a still containing a quantity of benzine, which was being distilled by steam, a new process, in consequence of too great a pressure, bursted or exploded, and the contents which were scattered over two or there acres of ground ignited whenever it came in contact with fire, and almost instantly everything on the west side of the bursted still for a distance of one hundred yards was enveloped in flames. Within a short distance of the still was a frame house occupied by Mr. Crane, which was coverered with the burning fluid and the inmates, Mrs. Crane and her baby, Mrs. McDonough, Thomas Cook and Pat Ryan, becoming frightened at the explosion ran out into the flames and were seriously burned, but none of them severely, however. As soon as the benzine was consumed the flames on that side of the oil works subsided, without any serious damage having been done. The benzine remaining in the exploded tank continued to burn, and from it the flames communicated to the agitators above and to the oil stills below when the conflagration became general. The settling house, in which there were five tanks containing about one thousand five hundred barrels of finished oil, next took fire and from that the fire spread to the building in which was the distilled oil tank, which contained between seven and eight thousand barrels of distilled oil. The several buildings referred to were consumed in a very short space of time by the devouring element, and the immense quantity of oil in the tanks becoming ignited the flames raged with still greater fury and defied all efforts made to extinguish them. The entire works cover about four acres of ground, and the buildings, with one or two exceptions, were all brick and built in a substantial manner. The barrelling house, which is situated on the north side of the grounds, and two large crude oil tanks with a capacity of 25,000 barrels, each adjoining it, had, up to a late hour last night, escaped the flames, and it was thought that they could be saved. The cooper shop, a frame structure, situated between the distilled oil tank and the road, had escaped the flames up to the time our reporter left the scene of conflagration, but owing to its proximity to the great volume of burning oil, it was probably destroyed.

As soon as possible after the first explosion an alarm was struck from box 76, which is located near the Cemetery gate, over a mile from the fire, and the Fire Department in the Third District responded promptly, and worked faithfully all day. Their entire efforts were to save the buildings, which the flames had not reached, surrounding the fire, as it was impossible to save those that were burning when they arrived, or to save the oil which was already on fire.

A crude oil tank belonging to Koehler & Brothers, whose refinery is adjoining that of Forsythe Brothers, was burned, but it contained but a small quantity of oil, and consequently the loss was but trifling. A building of the National Refining Company, some distance below, was also on fire, but the flames were extinguished before they had made much progress. Two oil boats, belonging to Forsythe Brothers, also took fire, and floated some distance down the river, when they were stopped and the fire put out, before the boats had received any material damage.

The loss, so far as could be ascertained, would not fall short of $200,00, on which there was about $5,000 insurance. The fire was still burning when our reporter left the ground, and there was but little, if any, probability of saving any portion of the oil in the tanks that were on fire, or of quenching the flames until the oil was entirely consumed.

The ladies and child who were burned were removed to the residence of a neighbor, and kindly cared for. Their injuries are not of a serious nature. Cook was only slightly burned about the face and hands. Ryan, it appears, has been unwell for some days, and at the time of the explosion was in bed, having no clothing on but his shirt. On hearing the explosion he jumped from the bed, and seeing the house enveloped in flames ran out without taking time to put on any more clothing, and in that condition ran over a mile before stopping. His legs and feet were slightly burned. He stopped in a house near the cemetery and was kindly cared for by the occupants.

LATER.—At half-past ten o'clock, last night, the fire was increasing. A general alarm had been sounded, and Chief Engineer Hare telegraphed specially for the Eagle, Duquesne and Vigilant Engines to be sent out. The probabilities are that the loss will greatly exceed the estimate made above.

The members of the firm, Messrs. Boyts and Ogden, are both men of large business capacity and extensive experience, and enjoy the confidence and respect of the entire business community. Dealers throughout the country will find them prompt in filling orders, as well as honorable and fair in all their business transactions, and we take pleasure in recommending them to the public, and also feel a pride a having business men with such energy and enterprise as they have evinced in our own city. A few more such houses as this, in different branches of business, would bring millions of money to Pittsburgh that now flows into the coffers of other cities.

Highway Robbery.

Yesterday morning, Mr. David H. Croxton, Mate of the steamboat Hornet, while passing along Liberty street, near the Mansion House, was attacked by three men, knocked down and robbed of twenty-four dollars in money, and his soldier's discharge papsr. Mr. Croxton, after recovering from the attack, met officer Mooney and furnished him with a description of the robbers, which led to the arrest of a man a few hours afterwards who gave his name as Rogers. He was locked up until Mayor Brush had his morning hearing, when he gave his real name as Samuel Small. He was held for a further hearing to-day at one o'clock, on an information made against him by Mr. Croxton.

Charged with Perjury.

Conrad Schmidt made information before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, against Henry Kuphahn, for perjury. The alleged offence consisted in swearing in a case tried before Judge Stowe that he (Kuphahn) had passed Senmidt's house during the last year at least one thousand times, and that each time he was menaced with threats by the inmates. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the accused. The parties reside in East Birmingham.

AN EXTENSIVE BUSINESS HOUSE.

Increase in Trade—Pittsburgh in Competition with the Eastern Cities—Mammoth Establishment—The Queensware Business—Extensive Importations.

It is a self-evident fact that all branches of trade are increasing in this city, particularly the wholesale and jobbing business, features which until within a few years past, have been confined almost exclusively to our Eastern cities, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. Heretofore the attention of our merchants and men of capital has been confined, in a great degree, to the iron business, a branch of trade in which, owing to our unrivaled facilities for manufacturing and transporting we have had no successful competition, but in consequence of accumulating capital many energetic business men have sought other fields of investment, and entered into competition with eastern merchants in the importing business. In no branch of trade is this change more apparent than in the queensware, which, until recently, has been exclusively confined to the East. We have now, however, a wholesale Queensware Establishment and Importing House which is probably one of the most extensive of its character in the country, either East or West. We refer to the establishment of Boyts & Odgen, 23 and 25 Wood street, wholesale dealers in and importers of Queensware, Glassware, Rockingham, and Yellow ware and manufacturers of Lamps.

In order to give our readers some idea of the immense business done by this firm, we will endeavor to give a description of the establishment, without entering into minute details. The building occupies a front on Wood street of forty feet and extends back eighty feet; is three stories high exclusive of cellars. On each floor are two rooms twenty by eighty feet. The cellars, which extend under the entire building, are devoted to the reception of crates and other packages of goods as they arrive; and they are kept full constantly, notwithstanding a large force of men are continually employed in opening goods and re-packing to fill orders. On the first floor are the sample rooms, in one of which will be found every description of Queensware of the finest grades and China ware in endless variety, and back of this is the business office. In the other room an apartment has been neatly fitted up and arranged as a sample room for Glass-ware and Lamps. At the back end of the room is the private office, which is neatly and comfortably furnished, and the remaining portion of the room is used for opening goods. One of the rooms on the second floor is literally filled with Lamps and Kerosene goods generally, and in the other we find the cheaper grades of Queensware, the Rockingham and Liverpool yellow ware, for which this firm are the special agents for one of the largest manufacturing establishments in Liverpool.

The rooms on the third floor are receptacles for Glassware and Lamps, where both are found in endless variety as well as immense quantity.

The china ware is worthy of special notice, as it comprises all the newest styles and in endless varieties, and is imported by this firm direct from Limoges, France, where it is manufactured. Owing to the fact that Messrs. Boyts & Ogden purchase their goods from first hands and import them direct, they are enabled to sell them as cheap as they can be bought in the Eastern cities, and they agree to duplicate all New York and Philadelphia bills at New York and Philadelphia prices, thereby saving the freight from those points to this city to their customers. To dealers in lamps and kerosene goods of every description, they are enabled to offer superior inducements, from the fact that they are engaged in the manufacture of lamps, and sell them to the trade at a reduction of fifteen per cent. on Eastern prices.

The heavy business this firm have been doing through the South and southwest renders large importations necessary, and in addition to the mammoth stock on hand, goods are daily arriving from the eastern cities, where several vessels have just arrived loaded with queensware and china of their importation. The "Maggie Chapman," the "Amazon" and the "Marion" are now unloading goods at New York and Philadelphia, imported by this firm, and there are two other vessels yet to arrive.

The quality of the ware imported by them is equal, if not superior to any in the country, and we doubt if any other firm in the country is importing so great a quantity.

Marriage in Open Court.

Yesterday morning in the Criminal Court, an unusual and extraordinary ceremony took place to relieve the dull monotony of trials and sentences. The District Attorrney had called up the case of the Commonwealth vs. Charles Bargess, indicted, on oath of Mary Jane Bagshaw, on a charge of fornication and bastardy. The parties reside in the vicinity of Temperanceville, and the indictment in the case set forth, with other alleged facts, that, in pursuance of the intimacy which had existed between them, a child, now living, was born. They had affection enough for each other, but Charles, like many other young men, felt that he could not well afford to make the honorable reparation due the fair and blushing Mary. But law is a stubborn thing, and rather than go to jail, Charles agreed to plead guilty and enter into matrimony. Judge Stowe aed Sterret were on the bench and District Attorney Pearson informed the Court that he was satisfied to permit the happy compromise to be effected then and there. Accordingly a *nol. pros.* was issued and our genial and happy friend, Alderman Morrow, being present, the interesting ceremony was performed in open Court. The District Atterney, who has admirable good taste in such matters, kissed the bride, and his good example was very generally followed, but before the honorable Judge's turn came she had called "stop," and, any kissing after that, under a late ruling, would have been assault and battery. Of course, Alderman Morrow was on time, but we believe he skipped the mother and kissed the bady. This was the first case of a wedding in open Court in this county, and Charles has received the first sentence for life ever imposed on any poor criminal by that Court.

Interesting Entertainment.

This evening the first of the three performances to be given in Masonic Hall, for charitable purposes, will take place. The famous Allegheny Quartette Club have been engaged for to-night and will give one of their inimitable concerts. To-morrow night the programme will be changed and varied, the principal performance being "Cinderella." Saturday night "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" will be produced. The arrangements for the entertainments have been of the most liberal character, no pains being spared to render each of them worthy of the patronage of the public. Those of our readers who wish to spend a pleasant evening should drop in at Masonic Hall some evening during the remainder of this week.

Enterprise in Business—A Palatial Drug House—Its Formal Dedication.

It is a highly pleasing duty to record the business success of enterprising and progressive young men—those who enter the trade circles determined to prove their capacities and to infuse new life into the particular commercial branch they adopt, and thus advance not only their own interests but those of their neighbors and of the city at large. Enterprise is commendable in any, but more especially in the case of a young man, who, combining industry with it, secures prominent place and position. Several years ago, before he had attained his majority in years, Mr. Charles Abel, a graduate of one of the very first pharmaceutical establishments of the city, entered into the retail drug business, securing a store on the corner of Washington and Wylie streets. His correct and careful attention to business, keen knowledge of the science of pharmacology, universal politeness and courtesy soon attracted a large share of trade and confidence, and enabled him not only to satisfactorily transact trade but to lay away in hard-earned profits enough to consummate a desire which he has long entertained to preside over a drug store which would challenge admiration from its completeness, neatness and beauty. That creditable ambition has at length been rewarded, and at No. 172 Wylie street, he finds himself at the head of such an establishment as surpasses in beauty and elegance any similar house in this country. This is a broad assertion, but it is true, for the imagination cannot well picture a more palatial business room, or one more elaborately fitted and adorned. It is a model of beauty and elegance, and thoroughly complete in its every department. Arranged on a plan suggested orignally by the artistic proprietor, and carried out without regard to expense, the room presents the appearance of a saloon parlor, rather than a drug shop. Marble, iron, black walnut, white ash oiled, French plate glass, mirrors, stucco work, elaborate frescoing, stained glass, gilding, stylish chandaliers, beautifully labeled flint, glass bottles, elegant furniture, stationary, paintings, and a thousand and one other materials enter into combination to ravish the sight and charm the fancy. The drugs, which make up the stock, are all pure and fresh, as Mr. Abel makes his own purchases and carefully guards against adulterations. A full line of all the standard perfumes and toilet articles grace the shelves. In the laboratory he is assisted by Mr. Leo Albright A. B. a graduate of the Philadelphia school of Pharmacy, and a careful attentive gentleman.

On Tuesday evening the magnificent store was thrown open for the first time, and was dedicated by a sumptuous banquet in the rooms above. A large number of invited guests sat down to a splendid wine supper, at which John Marshall, Esq., presided. After the cloths were removed speeches were made by several gentlemen, and the party adjourned. We sincerely trust that Mr. Abel will be generously patronized in the new place to which he has contributed so much by establishing such a grand emporium, and we commend him to our readers as eminently worthy their confidence and support.

Musical Matters—A Few Words About Popular Pianos.

The piano war which at one time waged so fiercely, has subsided, and a few instruments remain masters of the situation. No piano ever surpassed those manufactured by Messrs. William Knabe & Co., of Baltimore, for which Mrs. Charlotte Blume, No. 43 Fifth avenue, is sole agent in this city. Its power, brilliancy, volume and richness have long combined to make it a favorite not only with educated musicians, but with all classes, for the dullest intellect could readily discover that the music drawn from a Knabe piano possessed a singularly charming effect, which belonged as a characteristic to no other famous instrument. They have been in general use so long, and have received such an unanimous verdict in their favor, that the demand from year to year taxes the capacity of the great establishments where they are manufactured. Mrs. Blume has just received a large invoice of these pianos in various styles of furniture, which she offers at manufacturers' prices, and to which we would invite the attention of those of our readers proposing to invest in an instrument.

Another piano has made its way up to the highest degree of popularity on merit alone, and is worthy a place amongst the best in the market. We refer to those manufactured in New York by Haines Brothers. Slowly but surely these pianos rose to public favor and their praises and special good qualities have been unstintedly sounded by many of the most gifted musical artists of the country. They have afforded satisfaction in every case, and those who have them speak in glowing terms of their sweetness, volume of tone, strength, capacity and durability. The furniture is truly superb, the manufacturers taking much pride in sustaining the reputation their pianos enjoy on that score, and the prices range from three hundred dollars upward. Mrs. Blume has also received a fresh supply of these instruments which should be inspected by purchasers.

The spring stock of this old established Fifth avenue house will be found very large, embracing all lines of musical goods, and we urge our friends to pay a purchasing visit if in need of anything in the line. They can there secure as large selection and as reasonable prices as at any contemporary house East or West.

The Duquesne Forge.

By reference to an advertisement elsewhere, it will be seen that Mr. William Miller, having purchased the interest of his former partner, Mr. J. P. Haigh, in the Duquesne Forge, will hereafter conduct that well known establishment. The "Duquesne" is one of the largest and one of the oldest forging establishments of its character in the city, and bears a very high reputation for the durability and finish of the work turned out from it. Mr. Miller, the present proprietor, has been engaged in the business for about thirty years, and as he will hereafter personally supervise all work entrusted to him, patrons of the "Duquesne" may feel satisfied that every contract will be executed in a superior manner. Special attention will be given to steamboat and locomotive forging. In these branches Mr. Miller feels confident no other establishments anywhere can excel the "Duquense," his past experience in this respect being a sufficient guarantee. The office and forge are located at the corner of Duquesne Way and First (formerly Point) street. Persons needing anything in the line of steamboat shafts, cranks, locomotive forging, etc, should remember the place.

Valuable Invention.

Alluvial matter may make steam boilers dirty; but in the absence of lime cannot form scales. Lime is the adhesive substance, that either alone, or in combination with alluvial matter, will do so. The water holds the lime in solution, and when boiled, forces it out, which assumes the solid character through various stages—first a semi-liquid that rises to the surface of the water, and if not removed when there, falls on the flues and other parts, and becomes (by the action of heat) a hard substance, so firmly attached that no drainage can remove it. Usually sufficient lime is present in our waters to hold all the alluvial it may retain, and both remain on the surface for some time. Occasionally, as in a rise of our rivers, when the water comes from melted snow, there being so little lime in such water, that the lack of it may leave a small loose deposit, altogether harmless. Steam produced from water so cleansed has more energy; will do more work; it carries no sediment to the engine to produce friction—besides, in clean boilers evaporation goes on more rapid, consequently a saving of fuel. The impurities of water being thrown on the surface in the course of evaporation, is a natural law. Vortex action, drawing such substances off, and removing them, is one of nature's ever-acting principles. The uniting of these principles in water, under the influences of heat and pressure, is the subject of a patent to Mr. Francis Armstrong, of this city. And the utility having been tested in too many instances to admit of a doubt of the fact of removing all the lime and sediment, besides taking the lime from the water, old formations of scales become loose and leave the iron. Some of our largest and most intelligent manufacturers have had this invention in use during the last year, and have testified their satifaction by purchasing the patent, so far as extending through their entire business. Mr. Armstrong, in a short time, will open an office to prosecute this business, of which notice will be given. In the meantime he can be addressed at Allegheny City.

A Howard Regulator for Fort Wayne

Mr. James R. Reed, of the well known and extensive jewelry and time-piece headquarters of J. R. Reed & Co., No. 68 Fifth avenue, left the city yesterday for Fort Wayne, Indiana, in charge of one of those celebrated Howard Regulators, manufactured by the great Howard Watch and Clock Factory, Boston, which is designed for the Pittsburgh and Fort Wayne Railroad office at that point. The accuracy, precision and standard excellence of these time-pieces are points rapidly gaining for them deserved popularity and general introduction on all the principal railways of the country. Messrs. Reed & Co. have already brought out four of the very best regulators which are now in use, affording much satisfaction. The one taken to Fort Wayne is of the finest quality, and is supplied with the mercurial adjustment to provide against the contraction and expansion by heat and cold. It will be used to regulate the time on the western section of the road. We are glad to observe that the old and reliable house of Messrs. Reed & Co. have been very successful in introducing these improved time pieces, for which they are the agents, on the railways, and that their business enterprise in that direction is having a full return. At their salesroom they have, in addition to a full assortment of diamonds and general jewelry, a large collection of clocks and watches of the most celebrated and popular manufacturers. Their prices have always been reasonable, and no where else can articles in the line be selected or bought at greater advantage.

The Dexter Washing Machine.

Yesterday we saw a trial of this excellent labor saving machine. The utensil is a tight square box with a stationary washboard on the bottom and a circular rotary washboard connected with the handle, and so mounted on a strong, double spiral spring as to render the pressure on the cloths light and even; this board is moved by a cog-wheel, which works in a second cog, which is attached to the upright handle. The cloths are placed in the square tub—between the two washboards, which is already about half filled with strong suds, made by dissolving soap in boiling water, the lid is then fastened, the handle worked back and forth for one minute, by the watch, when they are taken out as clean as if they had had ten minutes' hard hand rubbing. To produce this effect, are combined the purifying actions of the hot water and steam, and the friction between the two washboards. The proprietors claim that as much work can be done as well by this machine in one hour as can be done in eight by one woman, and, judging by what we saw, we think they do not claim too much. The Dexter is a Pittsburgh machine, patented November 3, 1868, and made by Mr. Thomas Merkel, on Penn street, opposite the Fair Grounds. Any person wishing to inspect it, can do so by addressing Mr. Merkel or the agent, Mr. Charles C. Small, either one of whom will send a machine to any house and test it, if dirty clothes of any sort be provided.

Agents for the sale of this machine are wanted by Thos. Merkel, opposite the Fair Grounds.

American Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia—Chartered in 1850—Charter Perpetual—Assets Over $2,500,000.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14, 1869.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the full sum of Three Thousand Dollars, from the American Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, in payment of Policy No. 6 899 for $3,000 on the life of Isaac Whittier, deceased.

I also acknowledge the return of all the notes given for premiums on said policy. The dividends having liquidated the same in full.

SAMUEL HARPER, Administrator and Exec'r of Isaac Whittier, dec'd.

Applications for insurance in this old and reliable Company may be made to W. P. Cherrington, No. 96½ Fourth avenue, or to Samuel Harper, No. 93 Diamond street.

Plantation Bitters combine rare medicinal virtues with a delicious aroma, and a flavor grateful to the palate. It is purely vegetable, and all the requisites of science have been complied with. It is suitable for all ages and sexes. It is gentle, stimulating and soothing. All dyspectic disorders are cured by it, and it repairs and restores nature's wasted powers. PLANTATION BITTERS are increasing daily in favor with all classes. It relieves suffering, renders life a luxury, brightens the present, and throws a hopeful light on the future.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. TH.S.T.F.

Foundry Site, &c., at Auction.—Wednesday, April 21st, at two o'clock P. M., on the premises, will be sold the property known as the Utility Works, Allegheny City. See H. B. Smithson & Co.'s advertisement.

My Solace.

What gem is that so highly wrought?
So truly prized—by thousands sought?
Without which household joys *are not.*
The Weed Machine.
At 116 Market Street.

Spring Shawls, all the new styles. Bates & Bell's.

Great Auction Sale.—Mr. W. W. Moorehead, the well-known trimming and notion merchant, anxious to make room for new goods and to close out his stock completely, will hold an auction sale at his store, No. 81 Market street, commencing next Monday, at which great bargains may be expected.

Silk and Cloth Mantles, Spring patterns. Bates & Bell's.

Bates & Bell's for 4-4 Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, 12½ cents.

M. De Long's Juvenile Fancy Dress Exhibition will take place on Thursday evening, April 15th, at Lafayette Hall. The programme embraces ball room, characteristic and fancy dancing, beautiful ballet divertisements, &c. There will be dancing for all who wish to participate after the exhibition. Tickets can be had at Klebere's, Blum's and Mellor's music stores. 2t.

Ladies Underwear, all styles, and from medium to superior quality. Bates & Bell's.

Constitution Water is a certain cure for Diabetes and all diseases of the Kidneys. For sale by all Druggists.
TTHS:T.

Great Auction Sale Continued of Macrum & Carlisle's entire stock of fancy goods and trimmings at No. 29 Fifth avenue, in the store lately occupied by A. H. English & Co. Auction sales at 10 A. M. and 2 and 7 P. M. See advertisement. H. B. SMITHSON & CO.

Prints and Muslins. The best and choicest brands. Bates & Bell's.

Lace Curtains and Nottingham Netts. Bates & Bell's.

Dandruff can be killed by the use of *Burnett's Cocoaine;* also irritation of the Scalp. Sold by all Druggists, and at 592 Broadway.

Dress Goods and Silks, for suits. Bates & Bell's.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street

Tucked Muslin Skirts for $1.75. Bates & Bell's.

—Wednesday afternoon the dead body of a man was found in a pond, near Cincinnati, naked and sewed up in a sack, which contained stones to make it sink. The body had cuts of a knife in the forehead, and was laid open from the chin to the abdomen.

DIED.

TANNER.—On Tuesday, April 13th, 1869, JAMES P. TANNER.

Funeral services will be held at Trinity Church, on THURSDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock.

IRVIN—On Tuesday, 13th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., ANNE E. IRVIN, relict of the late Wm. A. Irvin, Esq., in the 62d year of her age.

Funeral to take place from the residence of her son, H. R. Irvin, No. 167 Sheffield street, Allegheny City, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, and proceed to Allegheny Cemetery.

PATTERSON—On Tuesday morning, April 13th, at 7 o'clock, MAGGIE E., daughter of Edward A. and Ellen C. Patterson, aged three years and eight months.

The funeral will take place on THURSDAY, the 15th inst., at 4 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, Etna Borough. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Little Maggie thou wast lovely;
Gentle as the summer breeze;
Pleasant as the air of evening,
When it floats among the trees.

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